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### WEEK-END CRICKET.

#### VICTORIES FOR ENGINEERS AND KOWLOON.

##### INTERPORT TEAM'S DISPLAY.

##### HANCOCK'S XI. v. QUICK'S XI.

All cricket games on Saturday were friendly, but an interesting feature was the match between Mr. H. R. B. Hancock's XI. and the Rev. E. K. Quick's XI. (Shanghai Interport team).

The game will be continued to-day at 10.30 a.m. Hancock's team batted first and were all out for 137 runs. E. W. Hamilton was the highest scorer in the innings, with 42 not out. He hit half a dozen boundaries and a six. Others to reach double figures were Webster (12), Hayward (21) and Ralph (15).

The Interport men began weakly until Balhatchet knocked up 33. Capt. Morris had scored 27 and Stewart, 11, when stumps were drawn.

There was little to choose between the teams in fielding. The number of spectators present was large.

##### Scores:—

R. HANCOCK'S XI.	
T. E. Porter, b Quick	8
R. E. A. Webster, c Morris, b Bowker	12
A. W. Hayward, c Stewart, b Bowker	21
H. Owen Hughes, b Bowker	5
R. Hancock, b Bowker	0
F. J. de Rome, c Morris, b Quick	8
Gen. McNaughton, b Bowker	0
F. W. Hamilton, not out	42
L. P. Ralph, b Walker	15
Rev. T. B. Powell, b Quick	6
G. R. Vallack, c Ramsay, b Quick	6
Extras	12
Total	137

##### Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Bowker	17	1	49	5
Quick	16.1	1	56	4
Balhatchet	3	1	0	0
Capt. Walker	3	0	14	1

##### INTERPORT XI.

H. E. Hollands, c Hancock, b Vallack	0
Capt. C. D. Armstrong, l.b.w., b Powell	10
H. A. Balhatchet, c Hancock, b Owen Hughes	43
Capt. E. W. Morris, not out	27
R. F. Stewart, not out	11
Extras	4
Total (for 3 wickets)	95

Rev. E. K. Quick, A. W. Ramsay, E. Stripp, A. C. I. Bowker, Capt. R. F. Walker and Capt. Bensley to bat.

##### Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Vallack	5.1	1	16	1
Powell	10	2	35	1
Owen Hughes	3	0	15	1
Hamilton	3	0	11	0
Webster	4	0	14	0

##### K.C.C. v. C.S.C.C.

The Civil Service C.C. were entertained by the Kowloon C.C. and lost by a wide margin. The home side declared with 146 runs for seven wickets. Macaskill headed the list with 36 runs and all but two of the batsmen reached double figures.

The visitors were all out for 88 runs. Kowloon were excellent both in fielding and bowling, and particularly so in the latter. The C.S.C.C.'s fielding was poor.

##### Scores:—

K.C.C.	
J. Jex, l.b.w., b Ling	4
S. C. Lyl, l.b.w., b Squibbs	16
G. Lee, c Ling, b Edmonds	18
H. Parsons, b Squibbs	2
L. A. R. Duncan, c Strange, b Edmonds	30
F. Goodwin, c Ling, b Edmonds	21
F. W. Howell, not out	19
K. R. Macaskill, b Baker	36
Extras	7
Total (for 7 wickets)	146

A. R. F. Raven, E. G. Benton and W. F. J. Gorvin did not bat.

##### Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Ling	8	1	33	1
Baker	6.4	0	30	1
Squibbs	5	2	9	2
Evans	7	1	14	0
Edmonds	6	1	33	3
Wallington	1	0	17	0

##### C.S.C.C.

F. E. Lawrence, b Goodwin	2
C. H. Beardall, b Lyl	5
E. C. Fincher, run out	10
H. L. Squibbs, b Lyl	5
H. G. Wallington, c Jex, b Goodwin	5
W. H. Evans, b Lyl	3
F. Baker, b Lyl	0
H. E. Strange, b Goodwin	3
F. H. Holdman, not out	4
E. J. Ling, b Goodwin	0
Extras	11
Total	88

##### Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Goodwin	0.1	2	36	4
Lyl	11	3	33	4
Lee	2	0	8	1

## C.C.C. v. R.E.

Craigengower C.C. entertained the Royal Engineers C.C. and lost by 25 runs.

The visitors batted first and they lost 4 wickets for 23 runs, Holland scoring 12. Jacob's contribution was 14 not out and Goodman made 12. The total score was 78.

The home side were all out for 51 runs, Hamson with 19 being the only member of the team to reach double figures. Cockell took 6 wickets for 19 runs.

##### Scores:—

R.E.	
Sergt. Cockell, b Fincher	4
L/Sergt. Bloudin, c Kitchell, b A. Hamson	1
Q.M.S. Brown, c Mow Fung, b A. Hamson	6
S/Sergt. Higgs, c Fritz, b A. Hamson	3
L/Corpl. Hollands, c Fritz, b A. Hamson	12
Capt. Bridgeland, b A. Hamson	3
C.S.M. Smith, b Fincher	14
Q.M.S. Jacob, not out	14
Spr. Playford, b Abbas	5
Spr. Goodman, b Abbas	12
L/Sergt. Jones, b Pina	4
Extras	7
Total	78

##### Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Fincher	9	2	16	2
A. Hamson	9	0	27	5
Abbas	2	0	18	2
Pina	2	0	8	1

##### C.C.C.

E. Hamson, b Cockell	16
A. Kitchell, c Bridgeland, b Jacob	3
F. K. Modi, b Cockell	5
E. Fincher, b Jacob	1
A. Hamson, b Cockell	5
S. Abbas, b Cockell	14
R. C. Reed, st. Smith, b Jacob	3
M. Pina, run out	9
F. Schepel, b Cockell	4
D. Fritz, not out	2
E. Mow Fung, c Jacob, b Cockell	0
Extras	2
Total	51

##### Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Cockell	12	3	19	6
Jacob	11	2	30	3

##### UNIVERSITY II. v. H.K.C.C.

Playing at home the University 2nd XI. beat the Hongkong Cricket Club by 5 runs.

For the University Zimmern and Peterson scored between them 55. The visitors began well and Mackenzie, the second man in knocked up 40.

McNicol took two wickets for no runs. Rushton four for 29 and Pendered 3 for 14. For the University Lam took four for thirty and Peterson 6 for 49.

##### Scores:—

UNIVERSITY.	
C. A. Peterson, c and b Rushton	32
E. Zimmern, b Pendered	25
V. P. Vicajee, b Pendered	3
W. H. Sling, b Pendered	8
C. W. Lam, b Rushton	4
B. N. Sudan, b Parker	4
Y. C. Yeh, b Rushton	2
C. E. Yeoh, l.b.w., b Rushton	1
H. Hiptool, c Nicholson, b McNicol	2
A. T. M. Bartha, c Nicholson, b McNicol	1
R. Chan Wah, not out	0
Extras	15
Total	98

##### Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Griffin	3	0	20	0
Parker	8	3	15	1
Pendered	8	1	14	3
Rushton	5	0	29	4
McNicol	1.2	1	0	2

##### H.K.C.C.

D. E. C. Nicholson, c Sling, b Peterson	5
A. K. Mackenzie, b Lam	49
C. T. Fowle, b Peterson	1
P. Jacks, c Sling, b Peterson	0
H. V. Parker, b Peterson	8
W. W. Mackenzie, b Peterson	4
H. Griffin, c Vicajee, b Lam	0
T. D. E. Pendered, c Yeoh, b Peterson	4
L. D. McNicol, not out	5
D. H. F. McMaster, b Lam	5
D. A. Rushton, b Lam	0
Extras	8
Total	87

##### Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Peterson	7	0	49	6
Lam	6.4	1	30	4

##### TO-DAY'S GAMES.

##### H.K.C. v. KOWLOON.

Club v. Kowloon on the Kowloon Cricket ground, start 10.30 a.m. Club team:—G. B. Burns, H. Griffin, E. W. Lee, W. W. Mackenzie, L. D. McNicol (captain), D. E. G. Nicholson, H. V. Parker, T. D. E. Pendered, D. Reid, H. J. Stevenson, and O. Skinner.

##### C.S.C.C. v. INDIANS.

The Civil Service C.C. will be the guests of the Indian Recreation Club in a friendly game which will commence at 1.30 p.m.

##### HOCKEY.

The following will represent the Hongkong Hockey Club against the East Surrey Regt. at 6 p.m. on Wednesday next at the U.S.R.C.:—H. W. F. Mills, A. P. T. Farquharson, D. H. Sherman, A. S. Hett, E. J. R. Mitchell (capt.), E. W. L. Martin, J. Prior, R. C. Allen, K. Woodward, G. B. Vallack, G. P. Lammer.

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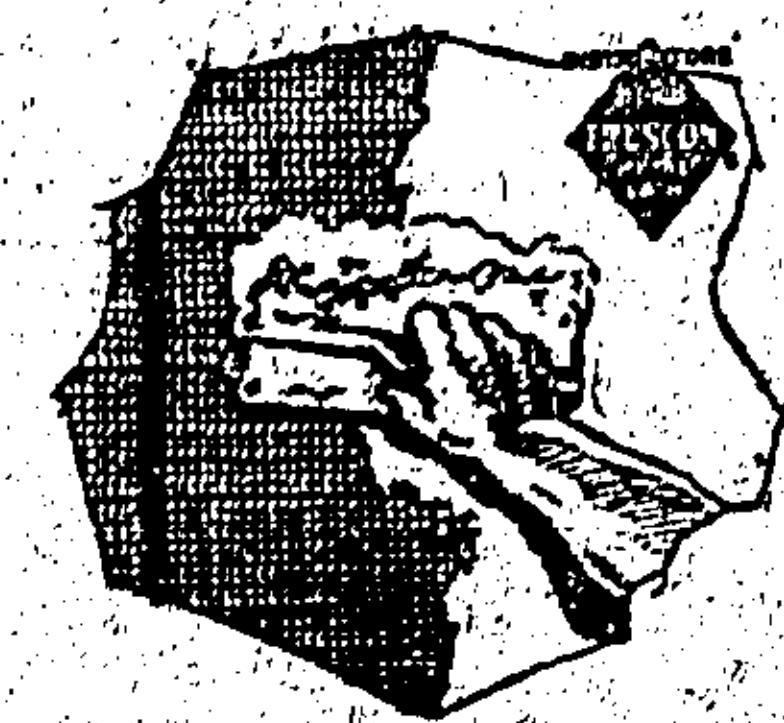
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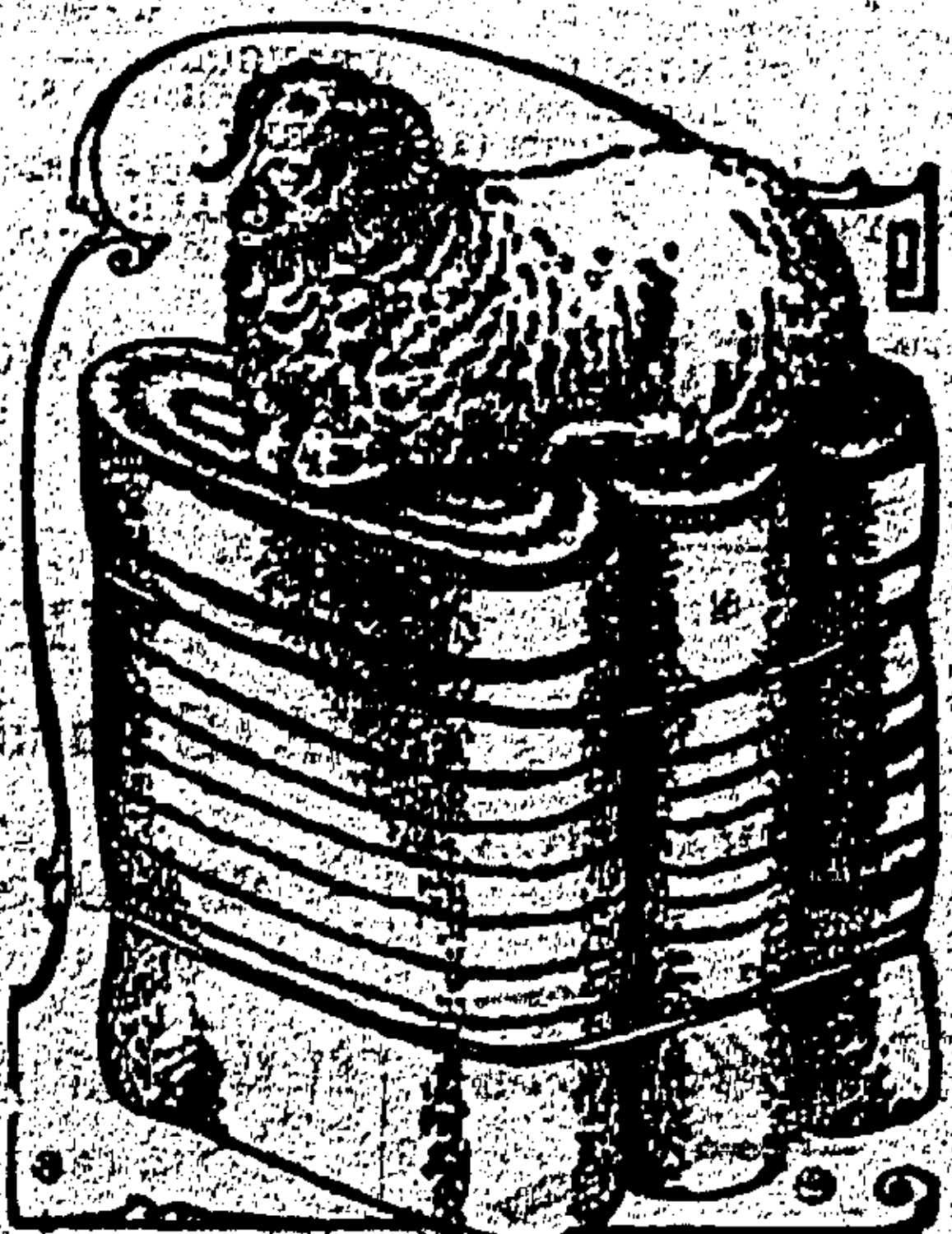
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The weather on Saturday afternoon was ideal for the opening of the second half of the season's racing, under the auspices of the Hongkong Jockey Club.

The attendance was a good deal smaller than usual; and the takings at the cash sweeps and totalisators suffered in consequence.

Despite the recent heavy rains, the going was good and the comparatively slow times are to be attributed to most of the candidates being a bit backward.

Next meeting should show a decided improvement in this respect.

His Excellency the Governor and a party from Government House arrived in time to witness the third race and remained until the end.

Sir Claud Severn was also among those present, but unfortunately none of the "fruit stable" ran into a place, though Jambu was well backed to win the penultimate event.

By kind permission of Lieut.-Col. R. S. Montague-Bates, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., and Officers, the Band of the 1st Bn., The East Surrey Regiment, was present throughout the afternoon and added much to the pleasure of all in the stands, before racing commenced and between each event.

With the exception of Rothsay, form worked out much as anticipated. In the first event, Grey Streak was a pronounced favourite and from the moment he took the lead at the foot of the hill, he ran his race out gamely to the end. Nugget, who got away badly, also finished gamely, in the hands of Mr. Reidy, and got within 1½ lengths of the winner. The last quarter was covered in 32.5.

In the five furlong race, Arabian Parrot was held at the post. When the flag fell, the mares were alleged to have still "hung on" to the bridge, the result being that the pony was badly left—as was the jady New York. In consequence, the unfortunate starter came in for a good deal of criticism. As regards the Parrot, this criticism was not justified, while in the case of New York, he appears only to have the "kink in his temper" to blame. Be that as it may, Saracen was soon in the van and won as he liked, covering the last quarter in 30.25. On yesterday's performance, other things being equal, I should back Saracen against Arabian Parrot over the 5 furlong course. The Parrot pony was favourite (319 tickets), Saracen (303), Satisfaction (34), New York (30), Langsat (40), Solly (40) and Uncle Gusengell (17).

The "A" class 6-furlong race produced a capital finish between Beauty Dahlia (304) and Gyp (216), the latter winning by a neck. The last quarter was run in 32.25. Rothsay, with 362 tickets, was made favourite and flattered his supporters until the turn for home.

The Stakes provided Grey Morn was an exercise gallop, the quarters being returned at 32.4-5; 33.1-5; 32.3-5; 32.3-5—2.10.1-5.

The Polo Scurry attracted nine and at the seventh attempt, Col. Hall Brutton got them away to a capital start. The winner was third choice in the betting and won somewhat handsily, with his owner in the saddle.

Saligia, like his stable companion Grey Morn, found little difficulty in disposing of his two opponents in the Theale Plate. The time for the last quarter was 31.4-5. Those who backed Saligia made a profit of 70 cents on each ticket.

For the Beckhampton Handicap "B" class, seven faced the starter: Jambu was installed favourite (491), Uncle Alf (301) being next in demand with Beldorney Star (193) third choice. Quotations for others were: Mowgli (87), Duke of Frisco (13), Teashop (10), Quab (4).

The winner was Beldorney Star (Mr. Brodie), who gained the verdict by a half length from Mowgli (Lt. Cdr. Thompson). The last named came with a tremendous run at the finish and it appeared to many that Mr. Brodie was "caught napping." At any rate, he had to shake his mount up to stave off the challenge. Time for last quarter 32.4-5.

The last event of the day, 1½ miles "A" class, only attracted Uncle Chick (401), Beauty Dahlia (142), King Emperor (150) and Grey Knight (523).

Like Jambu, the last named failed to deserve the confidence of the Colony's leading trainer and finished last but one. King Emperor and Beauty Dahlia set a strong pace, the quarters being covered as follows:—31.1-5; 32.2-5; 31.1-5; 30.1-3; 32.3-5—2.10.3-5.

When once Mr. Doyle sent Uncle Chick to the front, however, he came away to win handsily by two lengths and credited his new owner with a victory at the first attempt. Mr. Relyon keeps a big string in training and no one will begrudge him the victory, the more especially as he is always ready to give a "novice" a leg-up when opportunity offers.

Racing details follow:—

### 1.—READING HANDICAP.

"B" CLASS.

For China ponies.—1st, \$400; 2nd, \$150; 3rd, \$100.—Six furlongs.

Mrs. R. M. Austin's Grey Streak, 158 lbs. (Mr. Pollock) 1.

Mr. Bartholomew's Nugget, 150 lbs. (Mr. Reidy) 2.

Lt. Cdr. C. R. Thompson's Hailsham, 147 lbs. (Owner) 3.

Also ran:—Baby Eyes, 154 lbs. (owner); Two Pairs, 133 lbs. (Mr. Brodie); Uncle Tam, 152 lbs. (Capt. Hall); Tadworth, 151 lbs. (Mr. Nemaze); Valiant, 163 lbs. (Mr. Doyle).

The field got off at the first attempt with Two Pairs in the lead. At the rock, Two Pairs was passed by Grey Streak. Nugget and Hailsham came up and this order was maintained to the end.

Pari-mutuel. Cash Sweep.

Winner: \$9.20 Ticket No. 107, \$1,308.20.

1, 5.20 2, 3.50 3, 3.50.

Unplaced ponies (\$50): 390, 374, 161, 228, 106.

Won by 1½ lengths; 1½ lengths.

Time: 30.4-5; 1.03.2-5; 1.37.

### 2.—WOKINGHAM STAKES.

For ponies that have started previous to this Meeting, but have not won a race since 1st January, 1925. Weight for inches as per scale. Subscription: griffins of 1925 allowed 7 lbs. 1st, \$300; 2nd, \$150; 3rd, \$100.—Five furlongs.

Mr. H. P. White's Saracen, 158 lbs. (Mr. Davies) 1.

Mr. Roda's Arabian Parrot, 150 lbs. (Mr. da Roza) 2.

Mr. Johnathan's Solly, 152 lbs. (Lt. Cdr. Thompson) 3.

Also ran:—Langsat, 155 lbs. (Mr. Pollock); Uncle Gusengell (late Auchenroch), 150 lbs. (Capt. Hall); New York, 147 lbs. (Mr. Reidy); Satisfaction Dahlia, 152 lbs. (Mr. Brodie).

The field was despatched at the third attempt to a straggling start, Arabian Parrot and New York being left. Saracen soon had a commanding lead which he maintained to the winning post. Arabian Parrot was third at the rock and though he was second as the field went into the straight, he could make no impression on the leader. Solly finished third.

Pari-mutuel. Cash Sweep.

Winner: \$13.00 Ticket No. 338, \$1,868.20.

1, 0.10 2, 6.70 3, 11.40.

Unplaced ponies (\$50): 278, 331, 534, 107.

Won by many lengths; six lengths.

Time: 16.2-5; 47.1-5; 1.17.3-5.

### 3.—READING HANDICAP.

"A" CLASS.

For China ponies.—1st, \$400; 2nd, \$150; 3rd, \$100.—Six furlongs.

Mr. Bagram's Gyp, 145 lbs. (Mr. Brodie) 1.

Sir Paul's Beauty Dahlia, 144 lbs. (Mr. Davies) 2.

Mr. Roda's Persian Parrot, 146 lbs. (Mr. da Roza) 3.

Also ran:—Uncle Albert, 153 lbs. (Mr. Doyle); Rothsay, 157 lbs. (Lt. Cdr. Thompson).

Uncle Albert took the lead from the fall of the flag. At the foot of the hill Rothsay joined issue with Beauty Dahlia and these two raced together in front till the bend for home when Rothsay ran wide. Gyp and Persian Parrot were moved up, the former getting the better of a great struggle with Beauty Dahlia, winning by a neck.

Pari-mutuel. Cash Sweep.

Winner: \$21.40 Ticket No. 485, \$2,784.40.

1, 8.40 2, 7.70 3, 285.

Unplaced ponies (\$50): 63, 482.

Won by a neck; 1½ lengths.

Time: 30.4-5; 1.02.3-5; 1.35.

### 4.—FOURTH AGGREGATE STAKES.

Value \$500. For all China ponies.

Catch weights at 10 st. 8 lbs. Winners of an open race or open griffin race value \$500 or over or ponies that have won the aggregate prize in the Gynkhana Stakes or Aggregate Stakes in any season 5 lbs. extra.

Non-winning subscription: griffins allowed 5 lbs.—2nd, \$200; 3rd, \$100.—One mile.

Messrs. Dyer and Beith's Grey Morn, 151 lbs. (Lt. Cdr. Thompson) 1.

Messrs. Dyer and Beith's Lock Racer, 151 lbs. (Mr. Pollock) 2.

Messrs. Dimbar and Stanton's Chicago, 146 lbs. (Mr. Stanton) 3.

Grey Morn took the lead followed by Chicago until the turn for home when Lock Racer moved into second place, to finish six lengths behind this stable companion.

Pari-mutuel. Cash Sweep.

Winner: \$6.00 Ticket No. 610, \$4,684.50.

1, 6.00 2, 181, 1,241.00.

Unplaced ponies (\$50): 78, 670.50.

Won by six lengths; many lengths.

Time: 32.4-5; 1.05; 1.37.3-5; 2.10.1-5.

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### 5.—POLO PONY SCURRY.

For bona fide polo ponies approved by the Committee of the Hongkong Polo Club. To be ridden by playing members of the Hongkong Polo Club. Catch weights 168 lbs. 1st, \$150; 2nd, \$75; 3rd, \$50.—Three furlongs.

Mr. C. L. Oliphant's Urgent, (Owner) 1.

Mr. Bartholomew's Nugget, (Owner) 2.

Mr. Lithgow Smith's Koh-I-Nor, (Owner) 3.

Also ran:—Spaghetti (Mr. Pollock); Scarecrow (Mr. Gordon); Shooting Star (Mr. Stanton); Pip (Mr. Wright); Neville; Jock (Mr. Cobbold); Dick (Capt. Oxspring).

At the seventh attempt, the field were despatched to an even break. Urgent and Dick were soon out in front, but both Nugget and Koh-I-Nor passed the latter half-way down the straight, and chased Urgent home.

Pari-mutuel. Cash Sweep.

Winner: \$38.10 Ticket No. 462, \$2,030.20.

1, 9.10 2, 5.70 3, 6.70.

Unplaced ponies (\$50): 651, 621, 4, 110; 535, 157.

Won by three lengths; two lengths.

Time: 14.2-5; 47.2-5.

### 6.—THEALE PLATE.

For China ponies, winners of this season. Weights for inches as per scale. Winners—this season—of 3 races, 5 lbs. extra, of 3 or more races 10 lbs. extra. Jockey allowance, 1st, \$400; 2nd, \$150; 3rd, \$100.—One mile.

Messrs. Hall and Shenton's Saligia, 155 lbs. (Mr. Pollock) 1.

Mr. Belyon's Uncle Albert, 150 lbs. (Mr. da Roza) 2.

Mr. Bagram's Dictator Dahlia, 165 lbs. (Mr. Brodie) 3.

Saligia took the lead closely followed by Uncle Albert. This order was maintained until the foot of the hill, where Dictator Dahlia passed Uncle Albert. Saligia won as he liked, Dictator dropping back to last again, soon after the distance post was passed.

Pari-mutuel. Cash Sweep.

Winner: \$5.70 Ticket No. 69, \$1,036.90.

1, 5.10 2, 291, 553.40.

Unplaced ponies (\$50): 128, 276.70.

Won by many lengths; five lengths.

Time: 32.3-5; 1.05.2-5; 1.40; 2.11.4-5.

### 7.—BECKHAMPTON HANDICAP.

"B" CLASS.

For China ponies. 1st, \$450; 2nd, \$200; 3rd, \$100.—One and a quarter miles.

Mr. H. Birkett's Beldorney Star, 156 lbs. (Mr. Brodie) 1.

Mr. Sha's Mowgli, 154 lbs. (Lt. Cdr. Thompson) 2.

Mr. Relyon's Uncle Alf, 157 lbs. (Mr. Doyle) 3.

Also ran:—Duke of Frisco, 183 lbs. (Mr. Seth); Jambu, 161 lbs. (Mr. Pollock); Tea Shop, 149 lbs. (Mr. Reidy).

Passing the stands the first time, the order was Beldorney Star, Jambu, Duke of Frisco, Mowgli, and Tea Shop last. At the six furlong post, Jambu moved into the third place. At the foot of the incline Jambu drew level with Beldorney Star, and was still second as the leader swung into the straight. From the distance post both Mowgli and Uncle Alf passed Jambu, the former coming with a tremendous rush at the finish and only just failing to get on terms with the winner.

Pari-mutuel. Cash Sweep.

Winner: \$25.10 Ticket No. 429, \$1,813.00.

1, 7.90 2, 10.00 3, 8.00.

Unplaced ponies (\$50): 591, 204, 430, 94.

Won by half a length; 2½ lengths.

Time: 37.3-5; 1.13; 1.47.1-5; 2.20; 2.52.4-5.

### 8.—BECKHAMPTON HANDICAP.

"A" CLASS.

For China ponies. 1st, \$450; 2nd, \$200; 3rd, \$100.—One and a quarter miles.

Mr. Relyon's Uncle Chick (late Golden Chrysanthemum), 146 lbs. (Mr. Doyle) 1.

Sir Paul's Beauty Dahlia, 144 lbs. (Mr. Davies) 2.

Mrs. R. M. Austin's Grey Knight, 160 lbs. (Mr. Pollock) 3.

Also ran:—King Emperor, 150 lbs. (Mr. Davies).

Beauty Dahlia and King Emperor showed the way to the 5 furlong post where Uncle Chick moved up. At the foot of the incline the order was Beauty Dahlia, Uncle Chick, Grey Knight and the Emperor. Turning into the home straight Uncle Chick came with his usual rush and soon put paid to the account of Beauty Dahlia and Grey Knight.

### SELECTIONS FOR TO-DAY.

The chief event on to-day's card is the St. Leger for which the weights are:—

Height Weight hds. in. lbs.

Grey Morn ..... 13.9 156

Jambu ..... 13.9 156

Chicago ..... 13.9 156

Grey Knight ..... 13.1 156

Beauty Dahlia ..... 13.0 156

Saligia ..... 13.1 156

Saracen ..... 13.2 151

Beldorney Star ..... 13.0 156

Uncle Alf ..... 13.1 151

It is unlikely that more than the following will start: Grey Morn (Lt. Cdr. Thompson), Grey Knight (Mr. Pollock) and Uncle Alf (Mr. Reidy). The presence of Grey Morn and more attractive events on the programme are nearly certain to keep other ponies away. Grey Morn is bound to win and Uncle Alf may possibly make Grey Knight gallop to earn second money.

The first race, the Novices Handicap, may attract: Duke of Frisco (Mr. Goodfellow), Two Pairs (Mr. da Roza), Mowgli (Capt. Hall), Uncle Albert (Mr. Reidy), Loch Rannoch (Mr. Stanton), Beldorney Star (Mr. Nemaze), Teashop (Mr. Logan), Solly (Mr. Salter), Satisfaction Dahlia (Mr. A. J. Ocker).

If Mr. Stanton can hold Loch Rannoch in the earlier stages of the race, he will stand a chance second to none. The most danger may be expected from Uncle Albert and Beldorney Star.

For the Ormonds Handicap, only three are expected to go to the post—Uncle Chick (Mr. Reidy), Beauty Dahlia (Mr. Davies), Jambu (Mr. Pollock).

Despite his 5 lb. penalty, I expect Uncle Chick will prove too fast for the other two.



## NEWS FROM CANTON.

PASSENGERS FOR HONGKONG.  
JAPANESE MOTOR LAUNCHES  
WARNED AGAINST ASSISTING.

[FROM OUR CHINESE CORRESPONDENT.]

Friends in Shanghai of Hsiung Keh Wu, the head of the Szechuan mercenaries in Canton who was recently arrested by the Reds on a charge of treason to the Kuomintang, have wired to Chiang Kai Shek and Wang Ching, Woe petitioning for his release. Hsiung's execution, reported by the *Tai Kung Pao*, has not yet been officially announced. Reports from Northern Kwangtung, where some of the Szechuan mercenaries are stationed, have it that many of Hsiung's men have now intimated against the Kuomintang.

## HONGKONG PASSENGERS.

Japanese hotels in Canton, which have been conveying Chinese travellers for or from Hongkong to the *s.s. Hunan* and *Fatshan* in their motor-launches, are being warned against continuing this practice. Until further orders from the Strike Committee in Canton, no more permits will be issued by the pickets for persons desiring to travel from Canton to Hongkong by British steamers.

## CAPITAL TAX.

The Strike Committee enforcing the foreign boycott in Canton have appointed altogether more than 40 agents to go into the inland towns of Kwangtung Province to collect funds for the maintenance of the boycott and support of the strikers. The Kuomintang Government has authorized the collection of one per cent. capital tax from every person owning property worth \$300 or more. Several magistrates in districts under Bolshevik control are also appointing deputies to assist the Strike Committee in collecting the tax.

## STRIKE PICKETS KILLED.

## CANTON-SHANGHAI PASSENGER.

[BY A CHINESE CORRESPONDENT.]

According to a report received by the Hongkong Labour Maintenance Association it is stated that the strike pickets stationed at Wanchai, near Chin Shan in Chinese territory and opposite Macao, have been on bad terms with the village volunteers lately. The reason is said to be that until recently not only were the villagers not permitted to go to Macao, but any property in the possession of persons attempting to cross the border was confiscated. Communication between Heungshan district and Macao was thus cut off. Although repeated requests had been made by the villagers for certain concessions in the case of *bona fide* travelling merchants, the strike pickets took no notice and continued to molest the people. This aroused the anger of the volunteers, and the other day in the absence of Government troops two of the strike pickets were killed. Further trouble is expected.

## BANKNOTES REFUSED.

During the last few days the banknotes issued by the Provincial Bank of Kwangtung, a Government Bank, have been refused for payments in business circles in Canton. Even in normal times these banknotes were not accepted with much confidence, owing to the number issued and if they were accepted the merchants immediately presented them at the Bank to be changed for silver. The Mid-autumn Festival, the funeral of Liu Chung Hoi, and Sunday fell on the 2nd, 3rd and 4th instants which were observed as public holidays, and the Provincial Bank closed for the transaction of business on these dates. Owing to the uncertainty of the present political situation and the lack of good faith shown by former Government banks, the people during these three days were unwilling to accept the banknotes and as a consequence the Bank was hard hit. It is anticipated, however, that their circulation will be restored soon and acceptance of the notes made compulsory.

## PASSENGER BOAT CONFISCATED.

Two days ago a three-masted junk with a load of passengers was arrested at Mau Chan, Tai Ping, near the Bocca Tigra by the 18th Platoon of the Strike Pickets. The junk was at once towed back to Canton. At an enquiry held by the Strike Committee by a special tribunal in the Strike Headquarters it was found that the passengers were going for Hongkong. It was decided to detain all the passengers for three weeks and to confiscate the junk, which was later handed over to the Government.

## RUSSIAN PASSENGER BOATS.

It is reported that a notice has been issued by the Canton Office of the Russian Volunteer Fleet that a passenger service between Canton and Shanghai has been inaugurated. The fare charged for a First Class passenger is \$30 for a single trip and \$150 return. Cabin class single trip \$20 and return trip \$100. Second class single trip \$15, return \$80. Servants are charged \$8 per single trip and \$14 for the return trip.

## RUSSIAN SOLDIERS ON ACTIVE SERVICE.

## WAICHOW THE OBJECTIVE.

[BY A CHINESE CORRESPONDENT.]

On the 8th instant about 600 Russian soldiers in full military equipment arrived at Sheklung by the Canton-Kowloon Railway en route to the Eastern front. They had with them many rifles of modern pattern, several siege guns and a few field-guns and machine-guns. They were accompanied by a small engineer party of about 200 men all carrying picks, shovels and other army implements. According to a cadet, it is said that these Russians are new arrivals and that they were under orders from their Commandant to capture Waichow City at all cost. It is stated that as Waichow City is a natural strategic point, and is the bone of contention in the East River sector, General Chiang Kai Shek was obliged to employ these Russians to attack it in order to check the advance of General Chan's troops on Sheklung.

## ANTI-RED MOVEMENTS.

It is reported that preparations by the Anti-Communists for a general military movement have now been completed. General Chan's troops are now concentrating in the vicinity of Waichow City ready for a general attack on Sheklung.

## THE MILITARY SITUATION.

Dealing with the general military situation another Chinese correspondent writes:—There has been a renewal of activity during the last few days at Hingling City in Tang Kiang (East River), where Lin Fu's Kwangsi mercenaries supporting Chan Kwing Ming have been making their headquarters. This may mean the participation by Lin Fu in the coming anti-Red campaign. Lin is a capable militarist.

Red troops have established supply stations at Suntong, Sheklung, and Sheklung along the Canton-Kowloon Railway. It is believed that the Reds will restrict their defence to the districts around Canton and will not try to force an entry into what may now be called enemy territory.

Skirmishes have been reported from Soocpen near Waichow but there has been no important engagement between the Reds and the anti-Reds up to October 10th.

Following the practice of the Bolsheviks in Kwangtung, the anti-Red troops from Swatow, marching west, will also have propaganda squads to preach against Bolshevism in territory formerly occupied by Red officials.

Chan Kwing Ming, Hung Shao Lin, Lin Fu, and other leading anti-Red militaries are still absent from Swatow.

## THE SOUL OF THE CHILD.

## BISHOP'S ADVICE TO SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS.

Some useful advice to Sunday School teachers was given by the Bishop of Victoria (the Right Rev. G. R. Duggan) who conducted a dedication service at St. Andrew's Church, Kowloon, yesterday morning. He was assisted by the Rev. G. R. Lindsay and the Rev. G. E. Arrowsmith.

In the course of his address to the teachers, the Bishop said he would quote Matthew "He called unto him the little children." If he asked the little children who were present at the service their opinion as to who were the most important people, they would say that their elders were undoubtedly more important than they. Only grown up people, they argued, were made Governors, Kings, etc. To a certain degree they were right, but really they were not right at all. He thought the children were most important, because one could never tell what a little child would become when grown. He instanced the case of Lord Shaftesbury. His nurse did not guess that the child in her arms was to become known to generations to come as the "Blessed Christ had changed the whole attitude of the world towards children. Christ told his disciples that they would never enter the Kingdom of Heaven unless they had the childlike spirit. In his opinion the two most important things about a child were trustfulness and hopefulness. The care of the child had always been the special charge of the Church of Christ, and there was a very close connection between religion and education. He instanced the Venerable Bede's boys at Jarrow-on-Tyne, who were taught by the Saint.

In the 19th century, however, attempts were made to separate education from religion, this was especially so in late years. In Soviet Russia no child under 18 was allowed to receive any religious teachings. He thought the Christian Church teachings in schools in England had influenced British civilisation, and world civilisation, too. He believed that a great deal of the unrest at the present time was due to the attempts to separate education from religion. This could never be done.

As Sunday School teachers they would be handling the most delicate thing in the world—the soul of a child. If they were clumsy they would break the flower. Love and sympathy counted more than anything else. If these factors were combined then good results would come, whether they as teachers remained to see the result of their work or not.

## CHINESE REPUBLIC.

## WEEK-END CELEBRATIONS.

Saturday, known commonly as the "Double Ten" festival—falling as it does on the tenth day of October—was the 14th anniversary of the Chinese Republic.

The observances in Hongkong were carried out on a moderate scale. Some of the business houses and all the department stores closed; while a few of the guilds also observed a holiday. There was a big display of Chinese flags from business establishments.

His Majesty's ships in harbour dressed ship all over from 8 a.m. until sunset and fired a salute of 21 guns at noon, commencing with the second gun of the *Tamar*. Ships in Dockyard hands, dressed ship with masthead flags only.

The salute by the British warships was an act of courtesy much appreciated by the local Chinese community, according to comments heard in the holiday circles.

At 9 o'clock on Saturday morning, deputations from many schools assembled in the playground of the Hongkong Chinese Y.M.C.A. under the leadership of Dr. T. P. Wu, chairman of the Boys' Committee of the Association, to salute the British and the Chinese flags. This ceremony was preceded by a patriotic address delivered by Mr. Wong Tong, a former Commissioner of Finance of the Canton Government. Later in the morning girls from schools in Hongkong met at the Y.M.C.A., when there was a meeting, a programme and a speech by Mr. Szeo Wai, headmaster of the Ling Nam School in Happy Valley. Motion pictures in the auditorium. A bicycle ride around the island of Hongkong, and a motor-car excursion to the New Territory in the afternoon, followed by a banquet and concert in the evening concluded the entertainments provided by the Y.M.C.A. for the occasion. The Y.W.C.A. in Caine Road celebrated the day with a reception to its new members in the afternoon. This was followed by a patriotic meeting, Mr. Hin Wong of Canton giving the address.

## TUTORIAL INSTITUTE.

An excellent concert in celebration of the anniversary of the Chinese Republic was given at the Queen's Theatre under the auspices of the Tutorial Institute of Hongkong.

The entertainment was arranged by the Principal and staff of the Tutorial Institute, and was mainly given by the students.

The programme was opened with an address, delivered in Chinese, by Mr. Lee Chun Keung, one of the students, who carried out the duties of chairman. He spoke of the object of the concert and referred to the celebration of the anniversary of Republic.

The Chinese National Anthem followed, together with the saluting of the Chinese flag.

The entertainment included flag dances by small girls of the Young China Girls' School; a comedy sketch and a Chinese three act tragedy play by students of the Institute and a conjuring performance by Chua Yan Wing.

The theatre was packed by a Chinese audience, the majority of whom were young people, and all greatly enjoyed the entertainment.

There was also a reception at the South China Athletic Club.

## WEDDING.

## LEE-WONG.

The wedding took place on Saturday at "Lee Villas," Fanling, of Mr. Lee Hon Cheung, son of the late Mr. Lee Shew, and Miss Stella Wong, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wong Wai Kam.

The bride, who was given away by her father was charmingly attired in pink crêpe-de-chine, embroidered and trimmed in orange colour. The bridesmaids were Miss S. H. Wong (sister of the bride) and Miss Y. C. Cheung (sister of the bridegroom). Their dresses were of creamy crêpe-de-chine trimmed with light blue, and they carried bouquets of pink roses. Mr. Lee Hong was the "best man."

After the reception, the bride and bridegroom left for Macao.

## MUSICAL TREAT.

## TWO FINE ARTISTS TO GIVE A RECITAL.

Messrs. Jongen and Bilwaski are to give a popular classical recital (piano and violin) in the City Hall on Wednesday next at 5.15 p.m. Both gentlemen are artists of rare distinction, Jongen being one of the most eminent players Belgium has produced, whilst Bilwaski showed his talent early, and played on the Liege Cathedral organ at the age of ten. The programme will be:

PART I.  
1. Kreutzer Sonata..... Beethoven.  
Piano and violin.  
Adagio sostenuto—Presto  
Andante con variazioni  
Presto.

2. Concerto in A minor..... Mendelssohn.  
Allegro appassionato  
Andante  
Allegro molto vivace  
J. A. Bilwaski.

PART II.  
1. Concerto Italian (1st Part)..... J. S. Bach.  
Rondo in a minor..... Mozart.  
Ateneo..... Albeniz.  
Berceuse..... Saint Saens.

2. Grave..... Friedman, Bach, Kreisler.  
Chanson Louis XIII. and Pavane  
Gounperrin.

3. Valse..... Brahms.  
Capriccio..... H. Vieux Tempe.  
J. A. Bilwaski.

## COURT OF ENQUIRY.

## SEQUEL TO COLLISION OFF WAGLAN.

## NO BLAME ATTACHED TO BLUE FUNNEL MASTER OR OFFICERS.

The Marine Court of Enquiry which assembled at the Harbour Office on Friday afternoon to investigate the circumstances of a collision which occurred between the Blue Funnel *s.s. Tallyho* and a junk off Lam Tong, near Waglan Light, on August 23rd, at 3 a.m., was continued on Saturday morning.

The Court comprised: Lieut. Commander G. F. Hole, R.N., Harbour Master (President), Commander C. R. H. Harvey, R.N. (Supt. Chart Dept.), Mr. T. Croft (Master of the *s.s. Nam Sang*), Mr. F. Gill (Master of the *Haifong*) and Mr. Shearer (master of the *Halvard*).

Mr. G. Tinson represented Capt. Lloyd, formerly of the *s.s. Tallyho* and now Master of *s.s. Protailau*, and Mr. C. A. S. Russ appeared for the master and owner of the junk.

At Saturday's hearing, the President indicated that the Court had sufficient evidence on the circumstances and wished to confine itself to the matter of lights.

One of the lost junk's crew maintained that he himself had trimmed the lamp.

Mr. Tinson, cross-examining, submitted that not more than fifty per cent of fishing junks carried lights.

Li So, master of another fishing boat said he was asleep prior to being awakened at the time of the accident. He did not see whether the lost junk had a light at the masthead or not after the accident occurred. His junk had lights.

The steersman of the same junk said both the junk he was on and the lost junk had stern and masthead lights. He heard whistles blown by the steamer after the collision had occurred.

After hearing this evidence, the Court adjourned to consider the finding, the President intimating that they did not wish to hear further evidence.

After a short retirement, the Court returned.

The President announced that the Court found that a collision had occurred between the *s.s. Tallyho* and the lost junk off Waglan about 3 a.m. on August 23rd. The Court further found that that fishing junk, 1605, was not carrying lights and no blame was attached to the master, or any of the officers of the *Tallyho*.

## NEW KOWLOON HOSPITAL.

## ARRANGEMENTS MADE FOR ITS EARLY OPENING.

The new Kowloon Hospital, situated on the new road from Mongkok to Kowloon City, is to be opened in about six weeks time.

Arrangements have been made for the staffing of it, but for the present, owing to the unusual conditions prevailing, only paying patients will be admitted to the hospital. Later it is hoped to provide for non-paying patients.

Although there is only limited accommodation at present, the hospital can be quite easily extended when the necessity arises. There are also sisters' quarters, a matron's flat and a doctor's house, together with other necessary buildings, in addition to the main premises of the institution.

The new hospital has come into being mainly through the efforts of the Kowloon Residents' Association. The original estimate for the cost of the hospital was \$360,000, but owing to very extensive work on the site, this has now been revised to \$604,000. The estimated amount to be spent during this year is put at \$250,000, and the only sums allocated for next year are \$20,000 on account of buildings, and furniture, and \$35,000 on continuation of site development.

## HONGKONG BANKNOTES.

## CIRCULATION IN SEPTEMBER.

Following are returns of the average amount of banknotes in circulation, and of specie in reserve in Hongkong, during the month ended September 30th, 1925, as certified by the managers of the respective banks:

Banks.	Average Amount.	Specie in Reserve.
Chartered Bank of India, Australia & China	\$13,011,757	\$5,000,000*
Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation	43,533,800	35,000,000†
Mercantile Bank of India, Ltd.	1,392,943	550,000‡
Total	\$58,007,500	\$40,550,000

\* Sterling Securities deposited with the Crown Agents valued at \$1,000,000.  
† Securities with the Crown Agents and Bank of England valued at \$2,000,000.  
‡ Securities with the Crown Agents valued at \$500,000.

The following statement of the securities lodged with the Crown Agents by the Mercantile Bank of India, Ltd., against their notes in circulation, is published for general information under Section 5 of the Mercantile Bank Note Issue Ordinance, 1911 (Ordinance No. 65 of 1911):

Latest market price.

Security. Amount. price.  
Treasury Bonds repayable @ 100 in 1927..... £139,000 100 100

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## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

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## NOTICE

ON MONDAY, 12TH OCTOBER, 1925, All Departments will be CLOSED. The Hongkong Dispensary, Dispensary, will be OPEN for Dispensing Prescriptions from 10 A.M. to 1 P.M., and from 4 P.M. to 7.30 P.M.

A. S. WATSON & CO., LTD.  
Hongkong, 10th October, 1925. [2743]ST. ANDREW'S HALL  
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[2744]

## NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD, BREMEN.

THE Steamer "TRIER" having arrived from BREMEN, HAMBURG and other ports, consignees of cargo are hereby notified that their cargo is being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd., Kowloon, where delivery can be obtained.

All Goods remaining undelivered after the 15th of Oct., 1925, will be subject to Rent. No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in any case whatever.

Damaged Packages must be left in the Godown for examination by the Consignees and the Company's Surveyors, Messrs. Anderson & Ash, at 10 a.m., on 18th Oct., 1925.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godown, and all Claims must be presented within Two Weeks of the Steamer's arrival here, after which date they will not be recognized.

Consignees are requested to surrender their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature.

MELOHERS &amp; CO.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD, BREMEN.  
Hongkong, 10th October, 1925. [2743]

## LLOYD TRIESTINO S.N. CO.

## NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

The Steamship "SILVIO FELICIO" FROM TRIESTE, VENICE, BRINDISI, PORT SAID, MASSOWAH, ADEN, COLOMBO, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd., at Kowloon, whence and/or from the wharves delivery may be obtained.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless Notice to the contrary be given before 10th instant.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 16th inst. will be subject to Rent.

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 26th inst., or they will not be recognized.

All broken, chafed and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 16th inst., at 10 a.m., by our Surveyors, Messrs. GODDARD & DOUGLAS.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DODWELL & CO., LTD.

Hongkong, 10th October, 1925. [2744]

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## REFRESHMENTS. [2702]

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## INTIMATIONS

## NOTICE

IN View of Mr. S. D. SETNA, of Messrs. S. D. SETNA & Co., of Shanghai, having definitely decided on account of his Age to spend the Rest of his Life in England, the HONGKONG OFFICE of Messrs. S. D. SETNA & Co. has been voluntarily CLOSED, and under the circumstances the Power of Attorney granted to Mr. M. P. TALATI has been Revoked. [2737]

## NOTICE

THE DAIRY FARM, ICE AND COLD STORAGE CO., LTD.

## NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE TWENTY-NINTH ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING of Shareholders in the above Company will be held at the Company's Town Office, 2, Lower Albert Road, Hongkong, on SATURDAY, 24TH OCTOBER, 1925, at Noon, for the purpose of presenting the Report of the Directors and Statement of Accounts to 31st July, 1925. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 15th to the 24th OCTOBER, 1925, both days inclusive.

By Order,  
M. MANUK, Secretary. [2736]

Hongkong, 8th October, 1925.

## HONGKONG &amp; TERRITORIAL

## ESTATES, LIMITED.

## NOTICE OF CALL

ISSUE OF 100,000 SHARES OF THE NOMINAL VALUE OF \$10 EACH. (\$5 PAID UP).

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Final Call of \$5 per share on each of the above 100,000 shares has been made by the Company and that such Call will be payable to the Company's Bankers, THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, on or before the 15th OCTOBER, 1925.

SHEWAN, TOMES &amp; CO., General Managers. [2729]

## HONGKONG TELEPHONE CO.,

## LIMITED.

PROPOSED ISSUE OF 250,000 ORDINARY SHARES OF \$10 EACH AT A PREMIUM OF \$1 PER SHARE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the HONGKONG TELEPHONE COMPANY, LIMITED, intends shortly to file a Prospectus inviting Subscriptions at a Premium of \$1.00 per share for a Total of 250,000 shares of \$10.00 each.

Copies of such Prospectus may be obtained from the Company at its Registered Office (15, Des Voeux Road Central, Hongkong), from Messrs. DRACOX, Solicitors, Hongkong, and from the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, Hongkong, on and after THURSDAY, the 15th OCTOBER, 1925.

The Subscription List will be Opened on TUESDAY, the 15th DECEMBER, 1925, and be Closed on or before THURSDAY, the 31st DECEMBER, 1925.

The Sum payable on Application will be \$3.50 per share (being \$2.50 on account of the nominal value and as to \$1.00 the premium).

In allotting shares, the Directors will if there are sufficient applications from bona fide Residents in the Colony of Hongkong allot shares to such applicants only and they will also pay due regard to the applications of Telephone Subscribers.

The shares allotted in accordance with applications received on the issue of the Prospectus will rank for dividend from the 1st JANUARY, 1926, on the nominal amount paid up. In all other respects such shares will rank pari passu with the 250,000 shares at present forming the issued Share Capital of the Company. If the whole of the 250,000 shares to be offered to the Public is subscribed, the Company's Share Capital of \$5,000,000 will then have been fully issued and will consist of 140,000 shares of \$10.00 each credited as Fully Paid Up and 250,000 shares of \$10.00 each paid up to the extent of \$3.50 per share.

THIS PRELIMINARY NOTICE IS NOT TO BE REGARDED AS AN INVITATION TO THE PUBLIC TO SUBSCRIBE FOR SHARES. Applications will be received by the Company's Bankers only as and when the Prospectus has been duly filed with the Registrar of Companies and on the basis of such Prospectus as and when issued to the Public and on the Form of Application to be issued therewith.

For and on behalf of  
HONGKONG TELEPHONE CO., LTD.  
A. L. TERRY, Acting Secretary. [2735]

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## "SOUDAN"

Capt. G. G. RANDELL, carrying His Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this Port on or about WEDNESDAY, the 14th OCTOBER, 1925, at Noon, taking Passengers and Cargo for the above Ports.

Suez, Valparaiso and Tea for Italy, France and London (under arrangement) will be transhipped at Bombay into the Mail Steamer proceeding direct to Marseilles and London.

Parcels will be received at this Office until 5 p.m. the Day before Sailing. The contents and value of all packages must be declared.

For further Particulars, Apply to  
MACKINNON, MACKENZIE & CO., Agents. [2728]

Hongkong, 8th Oct., 1925.

## INTIMATIONS

## HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Date of the LAST EXTRA RACE MEETING of the Season advertised for the 5th day of DECEMBER, 1925, will be held on 26th NOVEMBER, 1925, instead.

By Order,  
H. GREENWOOD, Acting Secretary. [2725]

## HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

THE SIXTH EXTRA RACE MEETING will be held (weather permitting) at HAPPY VALLEY on SATURDAY, 10th OCT., and MONDAY, 12th OCT., 1925.

The First Ball will be rung at 2.45 p.m. each day.

The Charge for Admission to the Public Enclosure will be \$1.

Soldiers and Sailors in uniform, Half Price. Members are advised that they must show their Season Tickets to obtain Admission to the Members' Enclosure.

Each Member has the right of introducing 2 Non-Members to the Members' Enclosure. Tickets for whom can be obtained from Messrs. LINERMAN & DAVIS at \$3.00 each day up to FRIDAY, OCTOBER 24th, 1925.

The Stewards invite the Ladies of Hongkong to be present. [2726]

## TO LET.

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CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd., at Kowloon, whence and/or from the wharves delivery may be obtained.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless Notice to the contrary be given before the 10th instant.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 19th inst. will be subject to Rent.

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 26th inst., or they will not be recognized.

All broken, chafed and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 16th inst., at 10 a.m., by our Surveyors, Messrs. GODDARD & DOUGLAS.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DODWELL & CO., LTD.

Hongkong, 7th October, 1925. [2723]

## PREPAID "WANTED"

## ADVERTISEMENTS

TO LET.—Portion of Third Floor of STURGES BUILDING, Suitable for Two Large Offices or Several Smaller Ones. Well Lighted. Apply—DRACOX, Prince's Building. [128]

FOR SALE.—At Flat 2 Left No. 10, TEN FRANK—Ten Chest Chairs, Settee, Wardrobe. Apply after OCTOBER 12th, on the PREMISES. [148]

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## BIRTHS

FOOK.—At Shanghai, on October 3rd, to the wife of MURRAY H. FOOK, a daughter.

## MARRIAGES

BERDOULT—ALEXANDROVA.—At Shanghai, on September 30th, JOSEPH BERDOULT, of Shanghai, to TATIANA ALEXANDROVA, of Hankow.

STERNVALL—ORTENBLAD.—At Shanghai, on October 3rd, GUNDEL, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. ORTENBLAD, of Stockholm, Sweden, to Capt. SIGURD STERNVALL, of Chungking.

Hongkong Office: 14, Chater Road.  
London Office: 121, Fleet Street, E.C.

## The Daily Press.

HONGKONG, OCTOBER 12TH, 1925.

## THE REACTION AGAINST

## DOGMA.

During the last few years there has been a notable decrease in the numbers of candidates for Ordination. The Archbishops' Committee have duly considered the problem and some of the conclusions arrived at are of considerable interest to the general public. At a time when the searchlight is being thrown upon missionary and educational work in China it is as well to know just what the Established and other churches in Great Britain stand for. A growing reaction against dogma has been noticeable, and when we read that the Archbishops' Committee recommends that the Thirty-nine Articles should be jettisoned, we begin to realise what a profound change has taken place in that stronghold of conservatism, the Church of England. "It would bring relief if it were decided that the Thirty-nine Articles are no longer a satisfactory statement for the purposes of assent. In our opinion a re-statement of these principles is required." These are not the words of some rather advanced liberal churchman, but the deliberate statement made by the Committee which has probed into the reasons that may account for a shortage of the clergy.

There are many other significant sentences in the report. The payment of the clergy is fully considered, and it is acknowledged that some of the young men, or more often their parents and advisers, dismiss the idea of ordination because they feel that the financial strain of clerical life is overwhelming. The Committee believe, on the other hand, that it is a gain to the Church that it no longer holds out the prospect of a lucrative career. The ordinary citizen who thinks about these problems invariably comes to the conclusion that the clergy should have "a living wage." But at the same time there is a suspicion that the "fat livings" sometimes mentioned may provide assured incomes for men who do not give value for money received. It was only too true of the Victorian era that the curates were badly paid and the prelates overpaid and that system drew into the church the aristocracy and kept out many a genius. The Anglican clergy then taught their parishioners to say "God bless the squire and his relations and keep us in our proper stations." Invariably the clergy were too perfectly well-bred to be inquisitorial or even inquisitive, and they could shut their eyes on proper occasions. The instinct of the Church was hostile to all change. It was not the founder of the modern Universities or technical colleges or free schools. It did not encourage the diffusion of knowledge. It clung fast to the doctrine of the Old Testament, and gave but little thought to the humanising influences of the Founder of Christianity. It believed in a Providence that did not disregard the value of money. A great Anglo-Saxon philosopher pointed out some seventy years ago, that the ritual of the Anglican Church did not offer up a saintly prayer for the Queen's mind. It did not even ask for light or right but said bluntly "grant her in health and wealth long to live." When it was proposed to make it possible for Jews to become naturalised in England, nearly two hundred years ago, there were numbers of petitions against the Bill. That of the City of London was typical. It pointed out that such legislation tended "to the dishonour of the Christian religion, and was extremely injurious to the interests and commerce of the Kingdom in general and of the city of London in particular." There was no GEORGE BERNARD SHAW in those days to ridicule the sentiment. We have indeed advanced in thought since then.

The most significant achievement of the past hundred years has been the gradual humanisation of the doctrines of Christianity. In former centuries it was argued, with much dogmatism, that the divine and human were entirely separated by man's first disobedience. Such speculation is now only of antiquarian interest to most people, who have a faith, not only in the humanity of the Creator of the Universe, but in the divine spark in man. For twenty-five centuries Chinese writers have accepted the idea that the nature of man is fundamentally good, and the doctrine of original sin is at last passing away from modern Anglo-Saxon religious thought. The new age has brought to man new desires, new ideas, new discoveries and a wider outlook. The rush and excitement of modern life puts the old legends of mind. The religious element in society will not fail; it merely changes in its expression. The life of England did not grow out of the Athanasian creed or the Thirty-nine Articles, but out of the deeper instincts of the race. In this age we can each have our own opinion and be free to express it. Narrow-minded zealots are not popular. "No man knows the full extent of the indifference, infidelity, atheism, which has been directly created and promoted by that narrow heartedness of the bigot which makes his very sincerity hateful," wrote Dr. MILLON in a book recently published in connection with the centenary celebrations of the Unitarian denomination. Most of us feel unable to crystallise our ideas on these deeper aspects of life.

We hesitate about definitions; we cannot explain electricity or thought or inspiration. To most of us religion is the doing of good, and, for its sake, the suffering of evil. By some merciful instinct we recognise that the divine spark has existed in all ages, and in more recent times we have witnessed it in the charity of a Florence Nightingale, a Nurse Cavell and of thousands who have no universal fame. We judge, in these critical days, by what a man does, and are not greatly interested in his dogma. It is obvious from the report of the Archbishops' Committee that the Anglican Church is determined to adapt itself to the new ideas. The problem of the reunion of the churches is one that is often discussed. It seems that the differences between the various sects of Christianity are disappearing. If they were to disappear entirely certainly the tasks of the missionaries in China would be simplified.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Carroll returned to the Colony on the s.s. *Triet* on Saturday.

It is notified that the bathing beach at North Point will be closed on and after next Thursday evening.

Tenders are being invited for the provision of a motor bus service between Leichikok and Un Loong.

The return of notifiable diseases in the Colony for the 24 hours ended on October 9th shows 1 Chinese case of diphtheria.

Arrangements for funding the Czechoslovakian debt to the United States have been concluded, according to a Reuter cable from Washington.

The Very Reverend Don Jose da Costa Nunes, Bishop of Macao, who has been in Hongkong for the past two weeks, returned to his diocese on Saturday.

A Reuter message from Washington states that arrangements for the funding of the Czechoslovakian debt to the United States have been concluded.

Members of the Hongkong University Education Society have arranged to hold a Tennis Tea party on the afternoon of October 18th at the University Pavilion.

Mr. H. Parsons, a recent arrival in the Colony, has been appointed assistant Scout Master, and has also been elected assistant hon. treasurer of St. Andrew's Church.

Mr. A. C. V. Toft, the Hon. Treasurer of St. Andrew's Church, Kowloon, has been compelled to relinquish that office owing to his having been transferred to North China.

Certain roads or streets in Hongkong and Homanin are to be known as Village Road, Kwan Yick Street, Soara Avenue, Julia Avenue, Ema Avenue, and San Francisco Avenue.

The Club de Baccara Aquatic Sports are taking place to-day at the Victoria Recreation Club. The first event is timed for 3 p.m. and the Portuguese community are invited to attend.

A concert was held in the Great Hall of the University on Saturday night to celebrate the foundation of the Chinese Republic. The students and their friends spent a very enjoyable evening.

The master of the s.s. *Harumi Maru*, a Japanese vessel which arrived in port during the week-end, reported that a skowaway was discovered on board during the voyage from Nagasaki to Hongkong.

H.E. the Governor has been pleased to recognise provisionally, and pending the receipt of instructions from the Secretary of State for the Colonies, Mr. Roberto Vallarino as Consul for the Republic of Panama at Hongkong.

The Hon. Mr. J. H. Kemp, K.C., the Attorney-General, is due to leave Hongkong by the s.s. *Kashgar* on October 23rd. He will stay for a short time at Penang, where he will proceed on a short inland tour. He is due in Hongkong in the first week in December.

The s.s. *Sama Maru* arrived at day-light on Saturday with the Europe mail via Siberia (London, September 18th) and Japan and Shanghai mail. The total number of bags landed came to 202, of which only six bags were from the United Kingdom. The remainder of the mail was Continental, and from the North.

Harvest Festival services will be held in St. Andrew's Church, Kowloon, next Sunday. Gifts of bread, eggs and provisions of any kind, fruit, vegetables, flowers and garlands are invited. Gifts should be sent to the Church on Saturday, October 17th, before 10 a.m., and the help of ladies will be welcomed in the work of decoration.



## CABLES.

LATEST CABLE.  
[THROUGH ROUTER'S AGENCY.]THE LOCARNO CONFERENCE.  
MUCH REMAINS TO BE DONE  
BEFORE CONCLUSION.

Locarno, October 10th.  
Mr. Austen Chamberlain on his return from a pleasure trip to the Lake, in company with M. Briand and Herren Stresemann and Luther, said he was quite satisfied with the results of to-day's conversations which had carried the Conference further towards agreement. Much, however, still remained to be done before the Conference concluded.

A communiqué, issued by the Conference to-day, states the delegates gave the second reading to the articles of the Pact on the basis of the amendment submitted by the Jurists. The name of Italy, which did not appear on the draft text drawn up in London, was added to preamble among the contracting parties. This confirms the declaration already made by the Italian delegates concerning Italy's intention to participate in the Pact as a guarantor on the same conditions as Britain. The examination of the articles resulted in the adoption of a definite text on the majority of points. The remainder are reserved for later discussion.

## GENERAL APPROVAL.

General approval was given to the Pact, with the exception of two disputed points, the precise formulae for which has not yet been found.

Italy, before agreement was reached, announced her decision to sign the Pact. The announcement was dramatic but not surprising as it was foreshadowed from the beginning. Italy's act is of great consequence for the success of the Conference, which has adjourned until Monday.

The two articles of the Pact reserved for further discussion relate to the guarantee for the Eastern arbitration treaties and the entry of Germany to the League. But the fundamental differences have apparently already been adjusted. Efforts are being made to find formulae for safeguarding French rights, while being also acceptable to Germany. The French and German delegates conferred on the matter this afternoon. The representatives of Poland and Czechoslovakia will join the deliberations on Tuesday. It is hoped that the Conference will finish by the end of next week.

## OPTIMISM IN PRESS.

Optimism is expressed in the newspapers, both in Paris and Berlin as regards the outcome of the Locarno discussions. The outstanding difficulty, according to how the Locarno Conference can interpret Article XVI of the Covenant of the League, the problem, being how to draft a formula to enable Germany to join the League without jeopardising her treaties with Russia. The French do not favour the German suggestion to amend Article XVI, so as to exempt Germany from its operation until other States have equally disarmed, and thus allay her fear of France crossing Germany to support Poland.

A prominent German at Locarno remarked: "For five years we have been blackballed from the League; now suddenly they are trying to pull us in by the coat-tails."

It is regarded possible that a formula may be found in the adoption of the Canadian resolution, submitted to the Assembly of the League two years ago, declaring that any sanctions are only enforceable when they have been adopted by the parliaments of the countries concerned.

The Conference has generally approved the Security Pact.

## THAT "LAKE CONFAB."

It is reliably reported that the conversation on the Lake trip (mentioned earlier) referred exclusively to the question of the admission of Germany to the League. Apparently a satisfactory formula was found.

## EARLIER CABLES.

## STRESEMANN AND BRIAND.

Locarno, October 9th.  
Herr Stresemann had an hour's conversation with M. Briand this morning. The latter subsequently expressed himself as well satisfied and said all the statesmen at the Conference were obviously determined to see the whole problem confronting the Conference from the European standpoint, and anyone at present wishing to unfurl the banners of war in Europe would scatter the seeds of civil war. All parties at the Conference must make concessions in view of this fact.

## SUPPORT FROM ITALY.

Signor Scialoja emphatically declared that Italy completely shared the standpoint of Britain in regard to the Security Pact.

## ATTITUDE OF BRITAIN.

To-day's diplomatic conversations included an interview between Count Skrzynski and Mr. Austen Chamberlain after which both received Press correspondents.

It is stated to be the greatest mistake to suppose that Britain is not interested in Eastern European frontiers. Although it will not assume new obligations and reserves absolute liberty for the future.

Count Skrzynski declared that Poland desired a fair compromise on the basis of existing treaties and the Covenant of the League.

## VIEWS IN GERMANY.

Berlin, October 9th.  
The newspapers do not share the optimism of the foreign Press and consider the Conference has reached a deadlock. They declare that success or failure depends on private conversations between statesmen.

## LATEST CABLES.

## COMMUNISTS IN FRANCE.

STRIKE IN PROTEST AGAINST  
WAR IN MOROCCO.

PARIS, October 10th.

The Communists long expected 24 hours' strike principally as a protest against the war in Morocco is due to start on Monday, according to an order issued by headquarters late last night.

A second order calls on the Communist members of the Paris transport services to strike to-day and remain out till their wage demands are granted.

The transport strike, called by the Communists, has proved a fiasco. The number of strikers was insignificant and the public was in no wise inconvenienced. The afternoon the Police searched the offices of the Communist organ *L'Humanité* and seized several thousand leaflets, inciting the workers to participate in the projected general strike.

## MURDER OF MATTEOTTI.

ACCUSED MAY BENEFIT UNDER  
RECENT AMNESTY.

ROME, October 10th.

It is understood that the public prosecutor's report for the Assize Court on the murder of Deputy Matteotti last year, recommends that the three accused benefit under the recent amnesty and be acquitted of the charge of kidnapping and complicity in the murder inasmuch as the crime was not premeditated.

The five others, should be indicted for wilful murder without premeditation. The latter will probably plead that they killed Matteotti in self-defence, owing to his furious attacks when endeavouring to escape.

## RIOTS AT FREMANTLE.

VIOLENT SCENES AT ELECTION  
CAMPAIGN.

FREMANTLE, October 10th.

There were violent scenes at the opening of the ministerial election campaign here.

A meeting, addressed by Senator Pearce, was attended by many British seamen. Continual interruptions culminated in one of them throwing an egg at the speaker. The police were summoned and a free fight followed.

A seaman from the liner *Orsava* is alleged to have thrown the egg and was arrested. The police while taking him to jail were attacked. They repelled the rioters with a baton charge.

## RAILWAY ACCIDENT.

ENGINE AND PASSENGER COACH  
FALL INTO RIVER.

ROME, October 10th.

An engine and passenger coach, on a train on the Catanzaro and Reggio di Calabria Railway, fell into a river when the bridge collapsed owing to the recent floods.

Fifteen persons are missing and ten are injured.

## CAMPAIGN IN MOROCCO.

FRENCH CAVALRY NOW NEAR  
TO ADJIR.

FEZ, October 10th.

The French cavalry have reached Sidi Bourokba, a place 12 miles south of Adjir.

## MOTOR-CYCLE RECORD.

BROOKLANDS, October 10th.  
Levack on a H.R.D., with Jap engine, broke the world's 10 miles record for 500 cubic capacity motor-cycles, he averaged 96.02 miles per hour.

## SHIPPING STRIKE.

DURBAN VOTES IN FAVOUR OF  
SETTLEMENT.

DURBAN, October 10th.

A secret ballot, to-day, resulted in 311 voting in favour of a settlement. There were 230 votes against it.

## EARLIER CABLES.

## COLLAPSE IS EXPECTED.

London, October 9th.  
The National Sailors' and Firemen's Union headquarters report that the strike is expected to collapse in the near future. A definite decision is to be taken at a meeting in London on Sunday.

A similar meeting will be held at Bristol and a ballot will be taken at Southampton while it is believed the strike has collapsed at Liverpool.

In consequence of the violent force assumed by the seamen's strike at Fremantle, the Australian Steamship Lines have decided to discontinue the call there until the restoration of normal conditions.

## LATEST CABLES.

## FOOTBALL AT HOME.

RESULTS OF MATCHES ON  
SATURDAY.

LONDON, October 10th.

Following are the results of association football matches played to-day:

## THE LEAGUE DIVISION I.

Arsenal, 3; Bolton W., 3.  
Birmingham, 3; Cardiff C., 2.  
Blackburn R., 3; Manchester C., 3.  
Bury, 3; Tottenham H., 0.  
Huddersfield T., 2; Burnley, 1.  
Leicester C., 1; Aston V., 2.  
Liverpool, 1; Leeds U., 1.  
Manchester U., 3; Newcastle U., 1.  
Sunderland, 7; Everton, 3.  
W. Bromwich A., 2; Sheffield U., 0.  
West Ham U., 1; Notts C., 0.

## SECOND DIVISION.

Blackpool, 3; Clapton O., 0.  
Darlington, 1; Chelsea, 1.  
Derby C., 0; Bradford C., 0.  
Fulham, 3; Preston N.E., 1.  
Hull C., 1; South Shields, 3.  
Nottingham F., 3; Port Vale, 0.  
Oldham A., 1; Portsmouth, 3.  
The Wednesday, 3; Swansea T., 1.  
Southampton, 0; Barnsley, 0.  
Stockport C., 1; Middlesbrough, 2.  
Stoke C., 0; Wolverhampton W., 0.

## THIRD DIVISION (SOUTH).

Bristol C., 3; Brentford, 0.  
Crystal Palace, 0; Bristol R., 2.  
Gillingham, 0; Charlton A., 0.  
Luton T., 1; Exeter C., 1.  
Merthyr T., 0; Bournemouth & A., 2.  
Millwall, 4; Northampton, 1.  
Newport C., 1; Reading, 1.  
Norwich C., 2; Airdrieonians, 3.  
Plymouth, 1; Watford, 1.  
Queen's Park, 1; Swindon T., 1.  
Southend U., 4; Brighton & H., 0.

## THIRD DIVISION (NORTH).

Ashington, 2; Wrexham, 2.  
Barrow, 1; Coventry, C., 4.  
Bradford, 3; Tranmere R., 0.  
Chesterfield, 4; Walsall, 0.  
Crewe A., 3; Lincoln C., 1.  
Grimsby T., 3; Rochdale, 0.  
Halifax T., 2; Durham C., 1.  
Nelson, 1; Accrington S., 0.  
New Brighton, 1; Southport, 0.  
Rotherham U., 1; Hartlepool U., 0.  
Wigan Boro., 0; Doncaster R., 1.

## SCOTTISH LEAGUE (1st DIVISION).

Aberdeen, 5; Hibernians, 0.  
Dundee U., 2; Hamilton A., 5.  
Hearts, 4; Cowdenbeath, 2.  
Kilmarnock, 3; Airdrieonians, 2.  
Motherwell, 3; Falkirk, 0.  
Partick T., 2; Rangers, 0.  
Raith R., 1; Dundee, 0.  
St. Johnstone, 3; Clydebank, 1.  
St. Mirren, 3; Morton, 0.

## GLASGOW CUP FINAL.

In the final of the Glasgow Cup competition, Celtic, on their own ground, were defeated by Clyde. The score was two goals to one.

## EARLIER CABLES.

## LADIES AT GOLF.

MISS DOROTHY FOWLER WINS  
AT WESTWARD HO.

LONDON, October 9th.

Playing at Westward Ho in the Ladies' Golf Championship final, over thirty-five holes, Miss Dorothy Fowler, of North Hampshire, beat Miss Joy Winn, of Aldeburgh, by 9 up and 7 to play. Neither the holder, Miss Joyce Wethered nor Miss Cecil Leitch competed.

## SIR GEORGE LLOYD.

HIGH COMMISSIONER OF EGYPT  
IS HONOURED.

LONDON, October 9th.

H.M. the King has approved of the conferring of a Barony on Sir George Lloyd on his appointment as High Commissioner of Egypt.

[The new Baron was in May last appointed High Commissioner in Egypt in succession to Field Marshal Lord Allenby. He is 45 years of age. Representing West Staffordshire in Parliament from 1910 to 1918, he made many able contributions to debates on foreign affairs, and in 1919 he was appointed Governor of Bombay, which position he held until 1923. He was made a member of the Privy Council last year. He has travelled widely. In 1911, he married the Hon. Blanche Lascelles, late Maid of Honour to Queen Alexandra.]

## HIGHER CABLE RATES.

PARIS, October 9th.

In spite of the strong and eloquent British opposition the Tariffs Committee overwhelmingly voted a recommendation to be submitted to a plenary meeting of the Conference to increase terminal and transit charges on all telegrams over the world.

It is estimated the increase will average about 20 per cent.

The Committee also unanimously agreed to a recommendation that, the Press rate be applicable day and night throughout the 24 hours all over the world.

It is regarded as certain that the plenary meeting will adopt this measure which is an important concession to News Agencies and newspapers, going far to counter-balance the increased charges.

## LOCAL AND GENERAL.

The opening dance of the season at the Craigengower Cricket Club took place on Saturday night. There was a very large gathering of members and friends present and a very enjoyable time was spent by all. The orchestra of the Brunswick Studio supplied the dance music and the attendance was augmented after midnight by a large number of people who came on from the interport bowls dinner.

Miguel R. Cornejo, appointive representative and ex-president of Pasay, who has been sentenced to a prison term of one year and 8 months for assaulting an American resident of Pasay, was removed by Governor-General Wood from his seat in the lower house on October 5th. As a result, there are now two appointive vacancies in that chamber. More than 150 applications have been received for these two positions.

It will be recalled that, during the strike, the exportation of certain specified articles was prohibited except under special licence. The ban has already been lifted in regard to some of these, and now it is notified that further embargoes have been removed. The current *Government Gazette* states that the embargo so far as it relates to rice, flour and tinned or preserved foodstuffs ceased to have effect as from October 8th.

Two lots of Crown land are being sold at the P.W.D. offices on the 28th inst. The first is Shaukiwan Island Lot 336, comprising 1,240 square feet, the upset price being a dollar a foot. The other lot is R.B.L. 298, situate at Mount Cameron. This comprises about 40,000 square feet and the upset price is \$3,200. Sales of Crown land in Ngai Ying Chau and various districts in the New Territories are also announced to take place on October 16th and 21st.

Owners of Lots 976, 683, 687, 887, 811, 813, 818, 828, 834, and 862, are notified that under section 4 of the Crown Lands Resumption Ordinance, 1900, Ordinance No. 10 of 1900, H.E. the Governor has been pleased to nominate Lieut.-Col. Frederick Faves, D.S.O., Assistant Land Officer, to be a member of the Board of Arbitrators to determine the amount of compensation to be paid in respect of the resumption of Survey District IV, Lot No. 811. In the event of their failing to nominate a member to represent them on the said Board within seven days from the date of publication of the notice the Chairman of the Board will appoint a person on their behalf.

## THE "SUI YICK."

## DETAINED MEN TO BE RELEASED.

A decision has been reached by the Police, in conjunction with other officials, with regard to the half-dozen or so men who were kept in custody by the authorities after the *Sui Yick* was captured recently. They were detained for special enquiries to be made after the deportation of the others across the border at Shumchun. These men, who are understood to be officers, have now been informed that they may leave the Colony. They will be sent away within the next few days to places of their own choosing.

## FASCISM IN ITALY.

ROME, October 9th.  
At the Fascist Grand Council, the General Secretary of the Party reported that the Fascist enrolments were now over 800,000, an increase of 150,000 compared with 1924.

The Council noted this with satisfaction and invited Fascist centres to suspend further enrolments and to undertake stricter revision.

## CONSERVATIVE CONFERENCE.

LONDON, October 9th.  
The Conservative Conference concluded with the National Anthem and enthusiastic cheering, after the passing of a resolution urging the advisability of a definite Conservative movement within the Trade Unions.

## OBITUARY.

## MR. ARTHUR WATSON.

LONDON, October 9th.  
The death has occurred of Mr. Arthur William Watson, the Principal Assistant Secretary, Ministry of Labour. (Born at Newchwang, in 1874 (the son of the late Dr. J. W. Watson) Mr. A. W. Watson was educated at Cheltenham, Uppingham, and Cambridge, and entered the Indian Civil Service in 1897, where he served with distinction. He returned permanently to England in 1910, entering the Ministry of Munitions, and transferred to the Ministry of Labour in 1913.)

## MR. FRED RAMLEY.

LONDON, October 10th.  
Mr. Fred Ramley, Secretary to the Council of the Trade Union Congress, died suddenly at Amsterdam.

FAR EASTERN CABLE  
NEWS.

[THROUGH ROUTER'S AGENCY.]

CHINA'S NATIONAL DAY.  
IS CELEBRATED BY STUDENTS IN  
LONDON AT BANQUET.

LONDON, October 10th.

The fourteenth anniversary of the establishment of the Chinese Republic was celebrated by the Central Union of Chinese Students by a banquet at the Hotel Cecil.

The Chairman, Dr. R. A. Lee, proposing the Republic of China, voiced regret at the impending departure of Mr. Chao Hsin Chii (Chargé d'Affaires).

The latter, responding, thought that he had succeeded in arousing British interest in China during his stay in London. He expressed the gratitude of the Chinese to the League of Nations for its sympathy and support.

Mr. H. G. Wells, who spoke, advised the Chinese students to take all they could from our civilisation and warned them against catching "the disease of nationalism, under which Europe is staggering."

The guests included Mr. Bertrand Russell and Mr. Isabaro, the Japanese Chargé d'Affaires.

## EXPORT OF RUBBER.

COLOMBO INTERESTS APPROVE  
NEW PROPOSALS.

COLOMBO, October 10th.

A representative meeting of rubber interests approved the despatch from M. L. C. M. S. Amery (Secretary of State for Dominion Affairs) containing important proposals. The main ones are: the exportable maximum for the November to January quarter shall be increased by 20 per cent. of the standard production instead of 10 per cent.; restrictions to be held in abeyance after February 2nd.

It is understood that it is proposed that when the London price falls below 1/3 per lb. for the quarter, restrictive measures shall apply to the extent of five or ten per cent. of the standard production. Any decision to discontinue the restriction shall be announced simultaneously in London, Malaya and Ceylon.

## FENG YU HSIANG'S OLIVE BRANCH.

ELOQUENT TELEGRAM TO TUAN CHI JUI EXPRESSING  
EARNEST DESIRE FOR PEACE.

The following messages were sent to his paper, on the dates mentioned, by a correspondent of the *N.C. Daily News*:

PEKING, September 30th.

General Feng Yu Hsiang has recently sent a remarkable telegram to Marshal Tuan Chi Jui, protesting his love of peace, of which the following is a translation:

"In the ten years which have elapsed since the establishment of the Republic, constant warfare in the country has rendered the people and the nation poorer and poorer. Political administration has been deficient, while at the same time law and regulations have failed to work. Thus the nation faces a most critical era."

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## FUTURE OF MALAYA.

SPEECH BY GOVERNOR OF STRAITS  
SETTLEMENTS.

GROWING TRIBES PAID.

LONDON, October 9th.

Sir Laurence Guillemard, Governor of the Straits Settlements, speaking at a luncheon of the Overseas League, presided over by Sir Ernest Birch, declared the Malayan Government's first problem was to see the individuality of their separate parts scrupulously preserved and there was no question of fusion. Subject to it, the administration would make it as easy as possible for trade and commerce to go their way undisturbed.

He likened the Malays as gentlemen and sportsmen very loyal to the Empire as testified by war time gifts. The British Malays were united in bonds of complete understanding and deep affection.

Referring to the advance of the last half century, he said Malaya had had a most efficient Press, the tone generally being moderate, although there was no fear of the Governor lacking advice and criticism.

He expressed the opinion that in certain respects there was much still to be done in reference to sanitation whilst the housing problem was particularly difficult owing to the partiality of the Malays to live in a crowded condition. The crowded parts of Malaya, especially Singapore, were no credit to the country.

## THE BOXER INDEMNITY.

AGREEMENT FOR SETTLEMENT  
BETWEEN ITALY AND CHINA.

ROME, October 10th.

The Cabinet has approved the text of a Bill, implementing the Italo-Chinese agreement of October 1st, for the settlement of Italy's share of the Boxer indemnity.

## [REUTERS' AMERICAN SERVICE.]

## JAPAN NEEDS MONEY.

PLANS FOR FLOATING BIG LOAN  
IN AMERICA.

NEW YORK, October 10th.

Negotiations for a new Japanese loan of 100,000,000 yen is expected to follow early after the arrival of Mr. Kengo Mori, Financial Representative of the Japanese Government, who negotiated the \$100,000,000 loan last year.

Wall Street anticipates that a free gold market will soon be established in Japan.



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## HONGKONG TIDE TABLE.

From Oct. 12th to 18th, 1925.

Day of Week	Day of Month	HIGH WATER		LOW WATER	
		H'g. in ft.	Time	L'g. in ft.	Time
Mon.	12	5.56	5.59	0.91	2.6
Tues.	13	5.57	6.1	0.92	4.8
Wed.	14	5.48	6.2	0.82	4.3
Thur.	15	5.14	6.6	0.59	3.3
Fri.	16	4.26	6.9	0.31	2.3
Sat.	17	3.40	7.7	0.44	2.8
Sun.	18	2.27	8.6	0.22	2.3

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## LOCAL SPORT.

## FOOTBALL.

## RESULTS OF MATCHES PLAYED ON SATURDAY.

The following are the results in the Hongkong League games played on Saturday.

## DIVISION I.

Kowloon, 5; Hongkong Football Club, 0.  
H.M.S. Tamar, 2; Hongkong Police, 0.  
R.A., 2; South China, 2.

## DIVISION II.

East Surrey Drums, 9; H.F.C. Res., 1.  
Kowloon Reserves, 5; St. Joseph's, 0.  
South China "A", 1; East Surrey Res., 0.  
R.A. Reserves, 2; Club de Recreo, 1.

The League season opened on Saturday and each game was well attended. On the whole the play was good. Both Kowloon teams won by five goals to nil and on the form shown in the opening games, these teams should finish near the top than they did last season. The palm goes to the East Surrey Drums who being opposed by a very weak Club team, put on no less than nine goals for one against. The surprise of the week was the East Surrey Reserves losing to South China "A".

## KOWLOON v. H.K.F.C.

Visitors to the Railway ground were not disappointed, that is, as far as football was concerned, although the score was somewhat of a surprise. Kowloon forwards played a fine open game, in fact one of the best ever seen on this ground.

Although giving Kowloon full credit for their victory, the visitors did not deserve to lose by a margin of five goals. At the outset when Read was pressed he misdirected close in and had the H.K.F.C. forwards followed up they might have opened the score in the opening minute. However, the game turned in favour of the home team, but the visitors managed to keep their goal intact until play had been in progress twenty minutes. The Hongkong defence, handicapped by the glaring sun played a second game, Rodger eventually being beaten close in, following a well placed corner kick by Mason. The home forwards again got going and several corners fell to them, but they failed to improve upon them. The Kowloon wing men were in fine fettle while the centres had the visitors defence guessing. A fine run and centre by Taylor ended with Cavellie scoring, giving Rodger no chance. Play now levelled up, and no further scoring took place before the interval which arrived with Kowloon leading by 2 goals to nil. From the re-start both teams put on pressure, the home forwards showing the better combination. Forsyth had a good opening but dallied and was beaten. At the other end Austin tested Rodger but the goal-keeper was very safe. Kowloon went further ahead when Taylor, taking a pass from Austin, beat Rodger with a fine shot.

Forsyth again got moving and slipped the ball to Punchedon who had only Vickers to beat but he sent in wide. Key had several good openings, on the left, but he dallied and found Turner too good for him. Stewart cleared a centre from Taylor and Hongkong going down Key was robbed by Turner. Vickers at his stage was kept busy and Stewart almost got home. Austin ended a splendid run down the wing by sending in a lightning drive from twenty-five yards range, Rodger diving a moment too late to stop the ball on its way to the net. The Club tried to pull the game round, and Key with a good opening sent behind. Rodger saved from Mason and the visitors, going down, forced a corner. McKelvie clearing the flag kick.

Key tested Vickers with a wing shot and Punchedon sent in a high shot which Vickers cleared. Howard was wide from close range. McKelvie conceded a corner but cleared easily from the flag kick. After Mason had been pulled up for offside, Kowloon came on again and Taylor, receiving the ball from a pass by Austin sent it into the net, giving Rodger no chance and making the score 5 goals to nil in favour of Kowloon. Kowloon maintained their attack but there was no further scoring, the final score being Kowloon 5, Club 0.

The teams were:—  
Rodger; Wheeler and Read; Turner, McKelvie and A. Duncan; Taylor, McBride, Cavellie, Austin and Mason.  
H.K.F.C.—G. Rodger; Summers and Bishop; Mair, J. Stewart and McBride; Punchedon, Forsyth, Watson, Howard and Key. Referee Mr. Smyth.

## R.A. v. SOUTH CHINA.

The opening match on the Garrison ground between the above teams attracted a very large crowd. H.E. General C. C. Luard, the G.O.C. being an interested spectator. During the interval, the players and officials were introduced to His Excellency.

South China took the field without their left wing, Lai Wai Tong and Chan Kwong lung, but they found good substitutes in Leung Wing Tak and Wong Mei Shun.

The game opened very fast and in favour of the R.A., but Chan So was very safe. However, the R.A. forced a couple of corners, which were not improved upon. South China, then got a move on but they found the R.A. halves in good fettle.

South China returned to the attack and Moore was called upon to defend his charge. After a bout of midfield play, South China broke through and Wong Mei Shun, taking the ball on the run from a centre by Pang Kam Wing gave Moore no chance and opened the score for South China after twenty minutes play. This put the R.A. on their mettle, but the South China defence held out, the interval arriving with the score South China 1, R.A. nil. From the re-start the R.A. took up the attack and South China were forced to defend for a few minutes. The R.A. forced a corner and Punchedon placing well, Sawyer with a fine header sent the ball into the net well out of the reach of Lau Hing Cheung thereby making the score one goal all.

The score being equal, the teams struggled hard for the lead. South China eventually obtaining it when Wong Pak Chong, received from a well timed centre by Wong Mei Shun and hooked the ball into the net giving Moore no chance.

From the centre kick the R.A. took up the attack and the excitement grew intense. The R.A. levelled up following good work by Sawyer who dropped well in from the wing and Reade steering the ball past Lau Hing Cheung making the score two goals all. With ten minutes to go the teams went out to win but time was against them and when the final whistle sounded the score was South China 3, R.A. 2.

South China.—Lau Hing Cheung; Ng Kam Cheun and Chan So; Leung Yuk Tong, Wong Shiu Wa and Lam Yuk Ying; Pang Kam Wing, Sun Kam Shun, Wong Pak Chong, Leung Wing Tak and Wong Mei Shun.  
R.A.—Moore; Trim and Deedy; Kilgour, Rachell and Vickers; Pulford, Harris, Reade, Wilson and Sawyer.  
Referee Mr. F. Smith.

## H.M.S. "TAMAR" v. POLICE.

This match was played on the H.K.F.C. ground, the sailors winning by two clear goals. The game opened in favour of the Police but erratic shooting marred their display. The sailors then got going but also showed wild shooting. Each goal was visited in turn and although good openings were made the shooting was ineffective and with the opening half being in favour of the Police, an interval arrived with a blank score.

From the re-start the sailors attacked strongly and Post conceded a corner which the Police defence cleared. Cornwell sent away but trying to score sent the ball well over the bar when probably a centre would have been turned to account. Johnson was in a good position, one sailor got away on the left and Rodin sending over a well timed pass. Summers took his opportunity and gave Clarke no chance with a fast shot from close range.

From the centre kick the Police took up the attack and sent the ball into the net, but the goal was disallowed for an infringement. The sailors now put on pressure and forced several corners but the Police defence was sound. At the other end Wavish was busily defending his charge, practically the whole of the Police team taking part in the attack. The sailors broke away and taking advantage of the Police defence taking part in forward play, Chadwick ran through and gave Clarke no chance from close range. Being two down the Police put on pressure and Wavish cleared several shots. The final whistle sounded with the score, Tamar 2, Police 0.

## 2ND DIVISION.

## KOWLOON RES. v. ST. JOSEPH'S.

On the Kowloon ground these teams played a very even game for forty-five minutes after which there was only one team in it. After playing a blank first half, Kowloon opened the score after play had been in progress fifteen minutes in the second half, the marksmen being Linaker. Latham scored the second goal and this appeared to have a sad effect on the St. Joseph's team. Two further goals being scored by Fitzgerald through Ward making mistakes, and Eastman who worked in and beat Silva with a fast low drive.

The final goal was scored by Morris who ran the ball into the net after it had been played by the goalkeeper.

## EAST SURREYS RES. v. SOUTH CHINA "A".

Au Kit Sang scored the only goal in this match the result being a surprising win for South China.

## EAST SURREYS, DRUMS v. H.K. FOOTBALL CLUB RES.

The Reserves failed to field a full side in their first game of the season. This may be due to the short notice of shifting the game to Sookpook. They fielded nine men only and went down by nine goals to one. The Drums were in great form and their success should encourage them to greater deeds during the season just commenced. For the Drums, Erskine (4), Graham (3), Muffett and Baker scored.

## R.A. RESERVES v. CLUB DE RECREO "A".

The R.A. scored a win in their opening game on the Garrison ground the final score standing 2 goals to 1 in their favour.

## COMPANY MEETING.

## CHINA PROVIDENT AND THE TUG COMPANY.

An extraordinary general meeting of the China Provident Loan and Mortgage Company, Limited, took place on Saturday morning at the offices of Messrs. Shewan, Tomes & Co., under the chairmanship of Mr. R. Shewan. Others present were: Messrs. T. G. Weall, A. H. White and the Rev. Father Robert (Consulting Committee), Mr. R. F. Mattingly (Solicitor to the Company), Mr. E. M. da Rocha (Secretary) and the following shareholders: Messrs. W. G. Hawker, W. Morley, H. H. Taylor, W. J. Carroll, E. L. Shields, D. W. Manton, Fung Yee Chi, Tse Tsan Tai, Tong Hok Ying, Lok Hop, To Chew Tong, M. A. Figueiredo, Chan Lin Fook, Soo Pei Shao and Choy Hon Fung.

The CHAIRMAN said that before he proceeded to the business of the meeting, he would like to refer to the letter which had appeared in the morning newspapers. It was anonymous, and there was nothing to prove that it was signed by shareholders, so that he was not sure whether he ought to take any notice of it at all. However, he would like to quote a saying of Abraham Lincoln, who was perhaps one of the wisest men the world had known, which was "Never attempt to 'swop' horses when you are crossing a stream." They were in midstream just now, and the sooner they got over to the other side the better. To attempt to stop the proceedings now and commence new negotiations with the Tug and Lighter Company would be the height of folly, and he was sure it would be disastrous altogether. What the gentlemen who wrote to the newspapers said, namely that the Tug and Lighter Company lost money last year, was true, but they were in a much better position now. They knew that the China Provident were using the other Company's lighters to their advantage to-day, and they knew that it would take nine to twelve months to build new steamers, and if such lighters were built they would cost far more than the Tug and Lighter Company were now asking. For these reasons the directors recommended the transaction, and he was sure that the gentlemen who wrote to the papers, if they thought more deeply about the matter, would find what it would cost and how long it would take to build such a fleet as they would now get at once.

The SECRETARY then read the notice convening the meeting and also the report of the proceedings of the meeting held on September 23rd.

The CHAIRMAN then proposed the confirmation of the resolutions.

MR. WHITE seconded.

## FATHER ROBERT'S OBJECTIONS.

Father ROBERT then said he wished to say something about the matter. He was sorry that he was late in expressing his views, but he had been absent from the Colony, and did not have an earlier opportunity. He said: "The object of this confirmatory meeting is to complete the purchase of the Hongkong Tug Company for the sum of \$600,000 to be paid in full, paid up shares in the China Provident Loan & Mortgage Co., Ltd. I have not the slightest intention to vote against the principle of the acquisition of the Hongkong Tug & Lighter. Our General Managers who must have the experience of the affairs of the Company are strongly recommending such purchase, and, therefore, I will not contradict them on that point. I wish, however, to state that the manner by which such purchase is made does not seem to me equitable. What do we receive from the Hongkong Tug & Lighter Co., Ltd., and what do we give in return? We have to examine carefully the assets of the two Companies, and my task is easy after the figures given in this morning's papers. Yesterday, I saw that letter which I have neither written nor inspired, and I was satisfied that there was a good deal of common sense in it.

The scheme upon which we are asked to vote is good in itself, but I would not vote for it in its present form. Who framed such propositions and on what bases were they made? Mr. Shewan being interested in the Hongkong Tug & Lighter Co. did not vote for the adoption of the present scheme. He was certainly right to do so. As a member of the Consulting Committee of this Company, when the present scheme was suddenly rushed upon us, I expressed my surprise to our Chairman and asked for the accounts of both companies.

In my opinion, the accounts of the Hongkong Tug & Lighter and also the accounts of the China Provident and Loan Company should have been made up to the 30th of June. Due consideration should have been given to the value of the assets of both companies, and, after exchange of views and also after complete understanding between the two Boards, then, the shareholders of this Company should have been notified of the scheme then proposed of merging the Hongkong Tug & Lighter Co. with the China Provident Loan & Mortgage Co.

So far, we have a proposition which seems to be forced upon us and which rests on no evidence whatever as to the equity of the deal. On the 31st of December, the Hongkong Tug & Lighter Co. had a loss of \$7,740.88, but, in fact, had besides to pay \$25,000, as underwriting commission and \$3,935.05. The debt of the Company was really over \$60,000. No shareholder in the China Provident Loan & Mortgage Co., Ltd., has any wish to minimise the value of the assets and profits of the Hongkong Tug & Lighter Co., and we wish to give them all their due up to the last cent, but I fail to see how we should undervalue the assets of the China Provident Company simply because we absorb a new Company for the mutual profit of both parties. It is certainly in that spirit that our General Managers should have approached this question, and I wonder why they did not do so.

To come to a practical and equitable base of merging, I should propose:—

(1) That both Companies work independently up to the 21st December.

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(2) That the assets of both Companies are carefully estimated by our auditors.

(3) That the respective value of both Companies, being established by our auditors, the Hongkong Tug & Lighter Co. should receive in full paid up shares in the China Provident the equivalent of its assets in shares in the China Provident Company.

(4) That the capital of the Company should then be increased to such a figure which will allow the China Provident to carry through the deal.

Furthermore, let me say that the China Provident Loan & Mortgage Company is now a big Company, and that the antiquated Articles of Association are no more in keeping with the present Ordinances regulating the Companies and that perhaps very serious changes should be made.

He agreed with the Chairman that it was difficult to postpone the vote which was asked from them that day, but he believed that it would be in the best interests of public honesty to do so. He did not see why, until the end of the year the Tug and Lighter Company should not work as it has done in the past.

Mr. MORLEY seconded Father Robert's propositions.

Mr. T. WONG said that he thought the propositions put forward by Father Robert were excellent. They were equitable to both sides, and nothing should be done which was partial to one side and inequitable to the other. The present arrangement was not at all equitable to the shareholders of the China Provident Loan. They were giving too much to the Tug and Lighter, and were undervaluing the China Provident.

As regards the letter in the newspapers, simply draw attention to facts which could not be denied. Some better way of judging the assets of the two Companies should be arranged. There should be an equitable basis, and he wanted to second Father Robert's proposals.

The CHAIRMAN said that while he agreed with some of the remarks made by Father Robert he was sorry to inform them that he could not put the amendment to the meeting, for the meeting was called for the purpose of confirming or rejecting resolutions come to at a previous meeting of shareholders.

The CHAIRMAN then put the matter to the vote, and the resolutions were confirmed by ten to nine votes.

Father ROBERT then asked for a poll, and the Chairman agreed, the day fixed being Saturday next.

The CHAIRMAN then proposed the following resolution as an Extraordinary resolution:—

That Article XI. (6) of the Articles of Association of the Company be amended as follows:—

(1) By the deletion of the words and figures "a sum of \$5,000 per annum for defraying the salaries of clerks and all office expenses" and

(2) By the addition at the end of the said Article of the words "The Company shall pay the salaries of all employees and all rent, office expenses and other disbursements."

The CHAIRMAN: The reason for this change, gentlemen, is that the Company has outgrown the Article for I am sure you will all agree that an allowance which was fixed in the year 1898 for a Company with a capital of \$500,000 is quite incommensurate in 1925 with a Company of over twelve times that amount.

Mr. MORLEY seconded, and this was carried.



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## LOCAL SPORT.

## RUGBY.

H.K.F.C. v. H.M.S. "AMBROSE."

Teams of the Rugby section of the H.K.F.C. and H.M.S. "Ambrose" met on the Club's ground at Happy Valley on Saturday.

The Club got going at the beginning but they met a stubborn defence. Eventually from a line out Lambert got possession and scored a try; he failed however in his kick at goal.

The Navy then woke up and opened up the play, but taking advantage of a try pass, Lambert again got away and running from his own 23 scored another try; but no goal resulted. The sailors then fought hard to lower the lead and eventually Evans scored a try, but no goal resulted. Half-time came with the scores:

H.K.F.C. (2 tries) ..... 8 points.

H.M.S. "Ambrose" (1 try) ..... 3 points.

After the interval the Club attacked vigorously but the Navy put up a clever and efficacious defence. Club slightly tight ensued with the conclusion superior. Just before the conclusion Lambert again scored a try, and once again the kick for goal failed.

The final score was:

H.K.F.C. (3 tries) ..... 9 points.

H.M.S. "Ambrose" (1 try) ..... 3 points.

The teams were:

H.K.F.C.—Davis, Burns, Somerville, Lloyd, Lambert, Morrison and Summers; Foster, Moodie, Smith, Curwin, Lee, Graves, Ralston, Fochien.

H.M.S. "Ambrose"—Gambles, Hocking, Conway, Berridge, Honeywell, Cowley and Evans; Stafford, Morrell, Brockington, Pillage, Coutanche, Baldson, Currock, Sharples.

Referee: Mr. D. Fitzgerald.

## GARRISON SPORTS EVENTS.

In connection with the Garrison Sports programme the following draw has been made in respect of the Garrison Cricket competition:

R.A.O.C. v. 25th Heavy Battery, R.A.  
R.E. v. 12th Heavy Battery, R.A.  
25th Heavy Battery, R.A. v. "A" Company, the East Surrey Regt.  
Red Wing (East Surreys) v. White Wing (East Surreys).

Winners, in sequence, to meet in eliminating contests. Teams, dates and grounds are to be announced later.

## BILLIARDS.

The Military Amateur Billiards Championship commences on Thursday.

In the Garrison Billiards Challenge Cup (8-ball), the final is to be played to-morrow and Wednesday.

## "CHILDREN'S SWIMMING."

The annual swimming sports for the children attending the Garrison Elder Children's School will take place at the V.R.C. bath on Thursday, beginning at 2.30 p.m. Parents, friends, and members of the Garrison are invited to attend.

## BOXING.

## "MONTAGUE BATES" CUP.

An interesting Inter-Platoon Boxing competition for the "Montague Bates" Platoon Challenge Cup is to be staged in the open-air ring at Murray Barracks during this week.

The preliminary rounds will be contested at 7.30 this evening and Wednesday evening, and the semi-finals and final will take place on Friday evening, commencing at eight o'clock.

In addition to the above, a contest of six two-minute rounds for the Garrison School Bantam Weight Championship, between Boy Massey and Boy Ramsey, will be staged.

These two boys were matched in a contest recently when Boy Ramsey won on points.

A good evening's entertainment is assured to all patrons of boxing on each of the three nights.

## WATER POLO.

The following are this week's fixtures in the Water Polo League:

To-day: H.M.S. "Ambrose" v. V.R.C.

"A" v. H.M.S. "Hermes" v. K.B.S.F.P.A.

To-morrow: K.B.S.F.P.A. "B" v. The East Surrey Regt.; H.M.S. "Ambrose" v. Hongkong Electric Co.

Thursday: H.M.S. "Hermes" v. H.M.S. "Caroline" v. V.R.C. "B" v. V.R.C. "A."

## HONGKONG IMPORTS.

The following notes are taken from the fortnightly report of the Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce dated October 8th:

Cotton Piece Goods and Fancy Cotton Goods.—A more hopeful tone is evident, and a small business has transpired in a few lines of speciality Fancies. Greys and Whites are neglected. Clearances whilst still relatively very poor show a gradual increase in volume. Movement of a fair amount of miscellaneous cargo is retarded pending receipt of advice from Coastal buyers that it may be shipped. Mid. Am. Cotton was quoted 12.33d. in Liverpool 8th instant and Eg. Sakel 27.75d.

Cotton Yarn.—Market has ruled quiet throughout the fortnight and prices have kept steady. Nominal quotations are as follows:—No. 10s, \$185/200; No. 12s, \$190/204; No. 14s, \$220/235; No. 20s, \$220/225. Arrivals 1,900 bales. Shipments 100 bales. Sales nil. Unsold stock 5,950 bales. Bargains 5,300 bales.

Woolens.—No change.

Raw Cottons.—There is no change to report.

Metals.—Market stagnant with no business reported and no enquiries.

Flour Market Report.—Stock: 400,000 Market: Dull, with very little demand from outside. Quotations (per sack): American Patent 24, American Straight \$3.30, American Cut off \$3.40, Shanghai Flour \$3.10, Australian No. 1 \$3.30, Canadian Cut off \$3.

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## CENTRAL GOVERNMENT BANK.

## SCHEME OF THE CHINESE CHAMBERS OF COMMERCE.

The *Asiatic News Service* states that according to a report from Mr. Chang Tze Liang, Chairman of the United Chamber of Commerce in Peking, to the Ministry of Agriculture and Commerce, a special conference of all Chinese Chambers of Commerce was to be held on the 10th inst. in the Chinese capital for the discussion of all problems in connection with the forthcoming tariff conference. Mr. Chang said that at the coming special conference, about 1,400 Chinese Chambers of Commerce from all provinces, special administrative areas and cities would be represented. He added that the Chinese merchants are paying serious attention to the forthcoming tariff conference by reason of its bearing on Chinese financial and economic conditions.

Mr. Chang emphasised the importance of Sino-foreign commercial co-operation for the development of Chinese industry and commerce, and announced that the Chinese merchants, at the special conference above mentioned, would put the proposal for the establishment of a Chinese Central Government bank partially for encouraging Sino-foreign commercial co-operation in China and partially for the handling of customs receipts in conjunction with foreign banks.

A telegram conveying the meeting of the Chambers of Commerce declared that Chinese banks have been excluded from participation in the custody of the customs receipts under the excuse that they are not financially sound enough to handle them, and that it was the duty of the Chambers of Commerce to combine their forces for the organization of a strong and stable Central Government bank to share the handling of the maritime customs receipts in conjunction with foreign banks until the termination of the customs loan in 1945.

The capital of the proposed new Central Government Bank of China is \$100,000,000, to be equally subscribed by the Government and the Chinese Chambers of Commerce.

Sundries.—No quotations available, on account of the existing conditions.

Sugar.—Market dull.

Saltpetre.—Stock: 10,500 bags. No notable improvement since last report.

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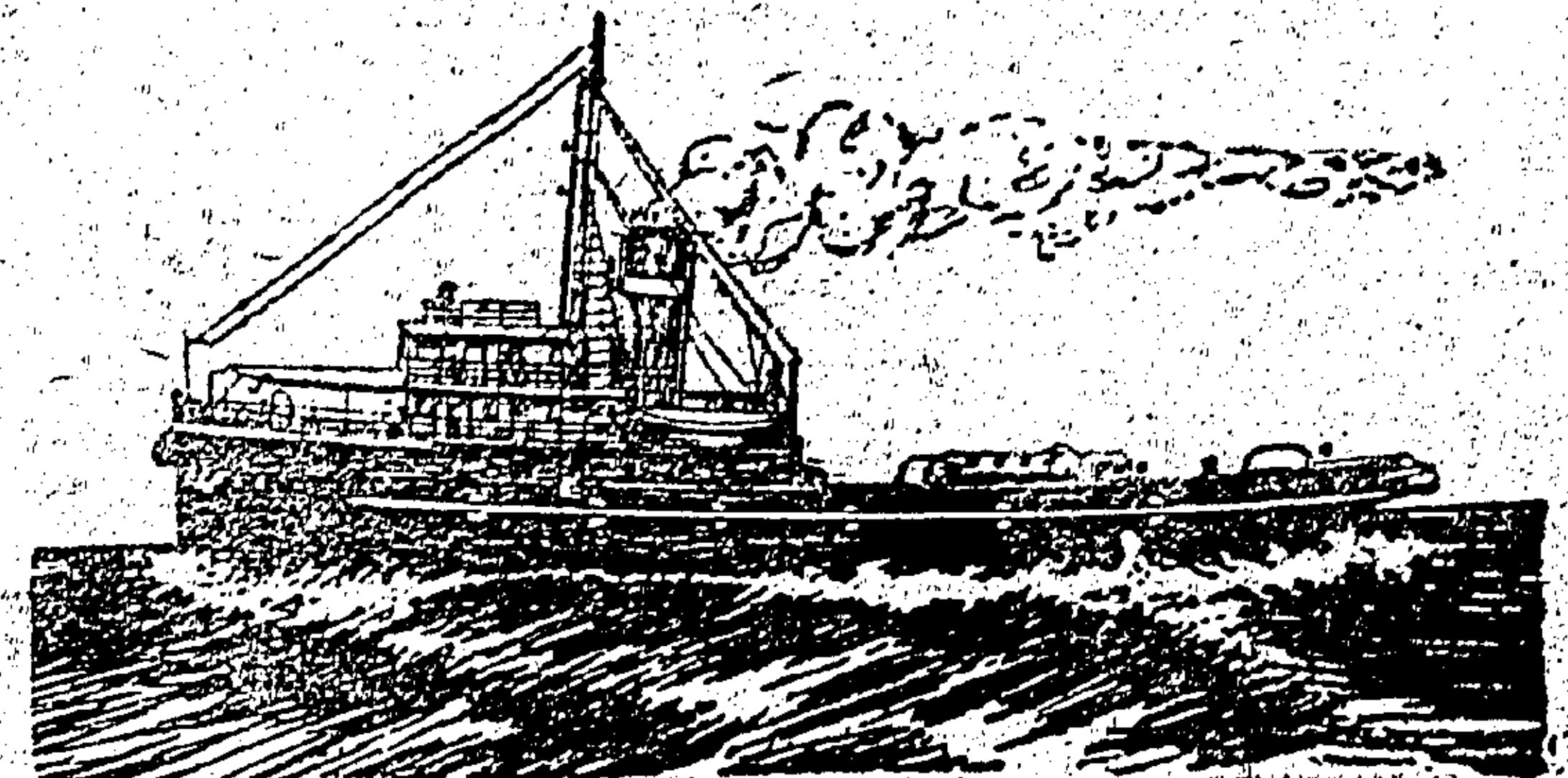
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## SHIPPING NEWS

## ARRIVALS.

October 9th.  
*Sawa Maru*, Japanese str., 6,637 tons, Capt. Y. Okuno, from Yokohama and Shanghai, with a general cargo, lying at buoy No. 44.—N.Y.K.

*Tjikini*, Dutch str., 2,883 tons, Capt. J. Adrianse, from Dalay and Amoy, with general cargo and banana, lying at buoy No. 42.—J.C.J.L.

## October 10th.

*Hydrangea*, British str., 361 tons, Capt. E. Bentley, from Swatow, with a general cargo, lying at Chiu On wharf.—Chiu On S.S. Co.

*Muroran Maru*, Japanese str., 3,473 tons, Capt. Z. Hirai, from Moji, with 500 tons of general cargo, lying at Kowloon wharf.—N.Y.K.

*Shantung*, British str., 1,888 tons, Capt. R. Robertson, from Shanghai and Amoy, with 500 tons of general cargo, lying at buoy No. 112.—B. & S.

*Silein Pellico*, Italian str., 4,433 tons, Capt. H. Hreglich, from Trieste and Singapore, with a general cargo, lying at buoy No. 121.—Dodwell & Co.

*Santi*, Portuguese str., 440 tons, Capt. G. A. de Souza, from Kwang Chow Wan, with a general cargo, lying at buoy No. 139.—Hing Kee Co.

*Tam*, British str., 1,351 tons, Capt. E. H. Heston, from Hongay and Hoihow, with a general cargo and coal, lying at buoy No. 115.—B. & S.

*Trier*, German str., 5,400 tons, Capt. J. Jacobs, from Hamburg, with a general cargo, lying at Kowloon wharf.—Melchers & Co.

## October 11th.

*Amakusa Maru*, Japanese str., 2,530 tons, Capt. K. Yugeta, from Keelung and Swatow, with a general cargo and coal, lying at O.S.K. wharf.—O.S.K.

*Hawani Maru*, Japanese str., 3,500 tons, Capt. I. Saito, from Nagasaki, with a general cargo, cotton goods, etc., lying at Kowloon wharf.—O.S.K.

*Lushan Maru*, Japanese str., 1,506 tons, Capt. T. Yokawa, from Shanghai and Swatow, with a general cargo, lying at buoy No. 140.—N.Y.K.

*Freight Jackson*, American str., 8,100 tons, Capt. John Griffiths, from Manila, with a general cargo, lying at Kowloon wharf.—Admiral Oriental Line.

*Talung*, British str., 3,841 tons, Capt. J. A. Wright, from Osaka and Amoy, with a general cargo, lying at buoy No. 11.—Melchers & Co.

*West Chongka*, American str., 1,320 tons, Capt. C. H. Bruun, from Los Angeles and Swatow, with 500 tons of general cargo and kerosene, lying at Kowloon wharf.—Struthers & Barry.

## CLEARANCES.

## October 10th.

*Chungchow*, for Tientsin.  
*Pagan Maru*, for Keelung.  
*Haining*, for Swatow.  
*Haitung*, for Swatow.

*Lee Sang*, for Swatow.  
*Muroran Maru*, for Singapore.  
*Sawa Maru*, for Moji.  
*Silein Pellico*, for Shanghai.

*Sawa Maru*, for Singapore.  
*Tjikini*, for Amoy.  
*Trier*, for Macassar.  
*Trier*, for Shanghai.

*Unita*, for Chinwangtao.  
 October 10th.  
*West Chongka*, for Singapore.  
*Yuen Sang*, for Bangkok.

## PASSENGERS.

## ARRIVALS.

Per s.s. *Trier*, on October 10th:—Mr. J. Barnard, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Carroll, Mr. R. Laperd, Mr. S. Lopes, Mrs. J. Lopes, Mr. and Mrs. M. Nielson and child, Mr. H. Oberli, Mrs. L. Sanger and two daughters, Miss G. Smith, Mr. H. Souza, Mr. R. Pyne, Mr. E. Salinas, Mr. J. Sarrat, Mrs. D. Wilson and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. Anderson and two children, Mr. P. Naidu.

## DEPARTURES.

Per s.s. *President Taft*, on October 10th:—Mrs. Burton, Mr. V. S. Giles, Miss A. McWilliams, Mr. W. S. Fickes, Mrs. P. Anderson, Miss S. Johnson, Miss J. E. Mullie, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Orth, Dr. O. G. Taylor, Mrs. J. Taylor, Mr. C. Tiedeman, Mrs. M. Walton, Miss C. M. Crawford, Miss D. Eveleigh, Mr. W. E. Hotchkiss, Mr. L. Schipper, Mr. M. Levitski, Mr. M. Levine, Mr. and Mrs. G. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Goggin, Mrs. D. Jenkins, Mr. E. W. Latio, Mr. and Mrs. A. Kieffer, Mr. N. van Khank, Mrs. M. S. Crowe, Mr. A. Carpi, Dr. R. E. Gill, Mr. H. P. Rambo, Mr. A. B. Scott, Mr. D. E. Smith.

## SHIPPING MOVEMENTS.

The Ben Line s.s. *Bendora*, from Middleboro, Antwerp and London, left Singapore for this port and Manila on October 10th, and is due to arrive here on October 18th.

The B.M.S. *Empress of Australia* left Yokohama for Vancouver, B.C., on October 10th.

## NOTICE TO MARINERS.

The following Notice to Mariners has been received at the Harbour Office from the Principal Port Officer, Burma:—“On or about the second week of October, 1923, the China Bakir Light Vessel in Latitude 16° 03' N. Longitude 96° 10' E, with China Bakir Lighthouse bearing North (true) and showing a white flashing light will be replaced by a Light Vessel showing a fixed white light visible 12 miles. Charts affected.—Admiralty Nos. 70, 921, 830 and 873.”

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## HONGKONG METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER.

## Hongkong Observatory, October 11th

	Previous Day	On Date	On Date
	at 2 p.m.	6 a.m.	2 p.m.
Barometer	29.60	29.84	29.93
Temperature	73	67	73
Humidity	28	50	38
Wind Direction	NNE	N	N
Force	4	3	2
Weather	B	B	B
Sea	0.00	0.00	0.00

Highest open-air Temperature on 10th ... 79  
 Lowest open-air Temperature on 11th ... 67

## SHIPPING NOTES.

The week-end shipping statement showed a further reduction in the number of vessels in harbour, this being a sure indication that the shipping boycott is really breaking. The number of vessels laid up since the strike are decreasing daily, as pointed out in Saturday's *Daily Press*. The number then stated as being in the harbour was 73. On Saturday the number in the harbour at 9 a.m. was 69, of which 36 were British.

For the twenty-four hours ended at 9 a.m. on Saturday, there were six arrivals, of which two were British, one Dutch, one German and two Japanese. The departures for the same period numbered 9. For the twenty-four hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday, there were eleven arrivals, of which four were British, one American, one Portuguese, one Italian and four Japanese. The departures came to thirteen and there were seven other vessels clearing later.

The arrivals up to Saturday morning were the s.s. *Proterius* (Br.) from Manila with a cargo of hemp; the s.s. *Lee Sang* (Br.) from Shanghai and Swatow with 711 tons of general cargo; the s.s. *Tjikini* (Dutch) from Dalay and Amoy; the s.s. *Trier* (German) from Hamburg and Singapore with 500 tons of general cargo; the s.s. *Sydney Maru* (Japanese) which put from sea to bunker and the s.s. *Sawa Maru* (Japanese) from Yokohama and Shanghai with general cargo and mail.

The *Honam* took up between 100 and 200 passengers on Friday, and returned on Saturday afternoon. She brought about thirty passengers to Hongkong, including a few of those taken to Canton the previous day. The *Fatshan* which took up a number of people on Saturday, returned yesterday afternoon. She also included among her passengers some who had been unable to land on the day before.

## VESSELS EXPECTED.

*Empress of Asia* (C.P.R.), due to-day.

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EMPRESS OF CANADA	Oct. 30	Nov. 2	Nov. 4	Nov. 7	Nov. 16
EMPRESS OF RUSSIA	Nov. 12	Nov. 15	Nov. 18	Nov. 21	Nov. 30
EMPRESS OF AUSTRALIA	Nov. 27	Nov. 30	Dec. 2	Dec. 5	Dec. 16

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EMPRESS OF ASIA	Jan. 7	Jan. 10	Jan. 13	Jan. 16	Jan. 25
EMPRESS OF CANADA	Jan. 22	Jan. 25	Jan. 28	Jan. 31	Feb. 8
EMPRESS OF RUSSIA	Feb. 5	Feb. 8	Feb. 11	Feb. 14	Feb. 22
EMPRESS OF AUSTRALIA	Feb. 19	Feb. 22	Feb. 25	Feb. 28	Mar. 10
EMPRESS OF ASIA	Mar. 5	Mar. 8	Mar. 11	Mar. 14	Mar. 22
EMPRESS OF CANADA	Mar. 10	Mar. 13	Mar. 16	Mar. 19	Mar. 27
EMPRESS OF RUSSIA	Mar. 22	Mar. 25	Mar. 28	Mar. 31	Apr. 8
EMPRESS OF AUSTRALIA	Apr. 2	Apr. 5	Apr. 8	Apr. 11	Apr. 19
EMPRESS OF ASIA	Apr. 18	Apr. 21	Apr. 24	Apr. 27	May 5
EMPRESS OF CANADA	Apr. 30	May 3	May 6	May 9	May 17
EMPRESS OF RUSSIA	May 15	May 18	May 21	May 24	May 31
EMPRESS OF AUSTRALIA	May 29	May 31	June 3	June 6	June 14
EMPRESS OF ASIA	June 11	June 14	June 17	June 20	June 28
EMPRESS OF CANADA	June 25	June 28	July 1	July 4	July 12

(E/Asia and E/Russia call at Nagasaki the day after departure from Shanghai.)

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Leave Hongkong	Arrive Manila	Leave Manila	Arrive Hongkong
Oct. 7	Oct. 9	Oct. 10	Oct. 12
Oct. 21	Oct. 23	Oct. 24	Oct. 26
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 HAKOZAKI MARU ... Saturday, 7th Nov.

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LIVERPOOL via ADEN & MARSEILLES.

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 MISHIMA MARU ... Wednesday, 18th Nov.

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BUENOS AIRES via Singapore, Durban & Cape Town, Delagoa Bay & Algoa Bay.

AWA MARU ... Monday, 2nd Nov.

CALCUTTA via Singapore, Penang & Rangoon.

MURORAN MARU ... Sunday, 11th Oct.

BOMBAY via Singapore, Penang & Colombo.

TOTTORI MARU ... Tuesday, 13th Oct.

NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA.

MISHIMA MARU ... Thursday, 15th Oct.

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TIENTSIN	“CHU-HING”	Monday, 19th Oct., at Noon
KOBE via MOJI	“FOOKSANG”	Thursday, 22nd Oct., at 7 a.m.
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“THIR”	7th November	14th November
“HAARBRUECKEN”	5th December	12th December
“COLEMAN”	2nd January	12th January, 1924
“ANLALI”	30th January	7th February
“BRIDA”	27th February	4th April
“BRIDELLINGER”	27th March	1st May
“THIR”	24th April	29th May
“HAARBRUECKEN”		

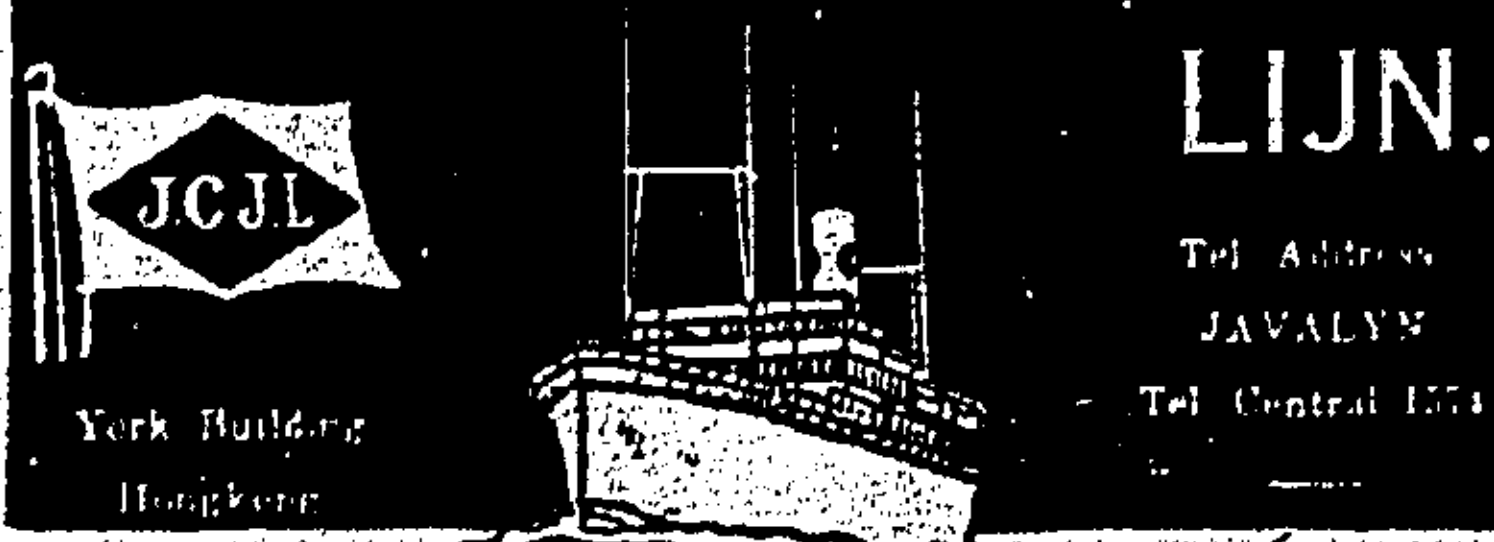
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Postage stamps should be affixed in the right-hand top corner of the address side of all postal articles.

The Radio Service has reverted to normal hours of working. Messages may be handed in at any hour of the day or night during General Post Office hours at Radio Counter, Main Hall, at all other times messages should be taken through the corner entrance at Pedder Street and Des Voeux Road to the Radio Office on the 3rd floor of the building, these doors will be closed after 10 p.m. but admittance may be obtained by ringing the night-bell.

Radio Traffic with Canton is suspended until further notice. Interport Radio Telegrams are subject to delay. Messages in Code must have name of Code used included in text.

## INWARD MAILS.

From	Per	Day
SHANGHAI ... ..	Pres. Adams	12th Oct.
Manila ... ..	Emp. of Asia	12th Oct.
Europe via Nipponkai, Japan only		12th Oct.
London, 10th Sept.		
Manila ... ..	Hong Kong	12th Oct.
SHANGHAI ... ..	Emp. of Asia	12th Oct.
SAIGON ... ..	Emp. of Asia	12th Oct.
AMSTERDAM & LONDON	Emp. of Asia	12th Oct.
CANADA, U.S.A., JAPAN & SHANGHAI	Pres. McKinley	12th Oct.

## OUTWARD MAILS.

For	Per	Day
Canton ... ..	Hong Kong	Monday, 12th.
Swatow ... ..	Hong Kong	Monday, 12th.
Shanghai and Calcutta ... ..	Hong Kong	Monday, 12th.
Manila ... ..	Hong Kong	Monday, 12th.
Saigon and South Africa ... ..	Hong Kong	Monday, 12th.
Hankow and Haiphong ... ..	Hong Kong	Monday, 12th.
Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U.S.A., C. & S. America & EUROPE via Victoria, B.C.—due Victoria, B.C. 1st Nov.	Pres. Jackson	Monday, 12th.
Hankow ... ..	Kiangsu	Tuesday, 13th.
Saigon, Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, E. & S. Africa, Aden, Egypt, & EUROPE via Mauritius—due Mauritius, 13th Nov.	Portico	Tuesday, 13th.
Manila ... ..	Sui An	Tuesday, 13th.
Shanghai and Japan ... ..	Angkor	Tuesday, 13th.
Amoy ... ..	Shanghai	Tuesday, 13th.
Swatow ... ..	Yaching	Tuesday, 13th.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, E. & S. Africa ... ..	Soudan	Wednesday, 14th.
Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U.S.A., C. & S. America & EUROPE via Vancouver, B.C.—due Vancouver, B.C. 1st Nov.	Emp. of Asia	Wednesday, 14th.
Bangkok ... ..	Kwancho	Thursday, 15th.
Wai Hui Wai ... ..	Kwancho	Thursday, 15th.
Manila ... ..	Pres. McKinley	Friday, 16th.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, E. & S. Africa, Aden, Egypt, & EUROPE via Mauritius—due Mauritius, 13th Nov.	Malaya	Friday, 16th.
Japan & Honolulu ... ..	Angkor	Friday, 16th.
Manila, Australia and New Zealand via Thursday Island—due Thursday 15, 31st Oct.	Changsha	Friday, 16th.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, E. & S. Africa, Egypt, & EUROPE via Mauritius—due Mauritius, 13th Nov.	Hector	Wednesday, 21st.

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## COMMERCIAL.

## OPENING QUOTATIONS.

October 10th, 1925.

On London ... ..	2 1/2
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Bank Bills, on demand ... ..	2 1/2
Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight ... ..	2 1/2
Bank Bills, at 6 months' sight ... ..	2 1/2
Credit, at 4 months' sight ... ..	2 1/2
Documentary Bills, 4 months' sight ... ..	2 1/2
On Paris ... ..	1 3/4
Bank Bills, on demand ... ..	1 3/4
Credit, 4 months' sight ... ..	1 3/4
On New York ... ..	53 1/2
Bank Bills, on demand ... ..	53 1/2
Credit, at 30 days' sight ... ..	53 1/2
On Calcutta ... ..	159 1/2
Telegraphic Transfer ... ..	159 1/2
Bank Bills, on demand ... ..	159 1/2
On Shanghai ... ..	124 1/2
Bank Bills, at sight ... ..	124 1/2
Private, 30 days' sight ... ..	124 1/2
On Yokohama ... ..	116 1/2
On Manila ... ..	103 1/2
On Singapore ... ..	143 1/2
On Batavia ... ..	143 1/2
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